

1986 Falcon Football



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LB Erik Johnson



Head Coach MOE ANKNEY, a 1964 BGSU graduate



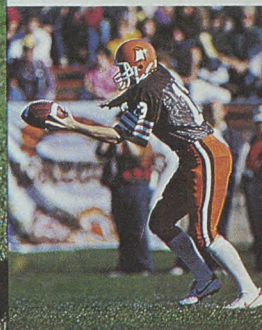
DB Dean Bryson



WR Ken Rankin



OG Mike Estep and C Eric Helgesen



P Greg Johnson



PK Paul Silvi

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**Bowling Green State University
Football Media Guide**

Media Information

CREDENTIALS: Requests for working press credentials should be made to Steve Shutt, Sports Information Director, BGSU. Requests should be made at least one week in advance. Late requests will be honored if space is available but parking cannot be guaranteed for requests less than one week in advance. Scouts and non-working media will be seated if space is available. Requests are screened with care to insure a working press box. **Children, spouses and pets are not allowed** in compliance with the working code of the Football Writers Association of America.

INTERVIEWS: All interviews with members of the team during the season should be arranged through the sports information office. Please **allow 24 hours to set up interviews** with players. Arrangements will be made for telephone and in-person interviews at a time that is mutually agreeable to the reporter/broadcaster and the athlete. The best time to call Coach Ankney is between 10:30-11 a.m. on Tuesday. Any television crews wishing to tape an interview with Coach Ankney may do so daily at 3:15 p.m. SHARP, just prior to practice.

MEDIA DAY: The annual pre-season media day will be held on **Thursday, August 14** from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. at Doyt L. Perry Field. The players and coaching staff will be available for photographs and interviews by members of the radio, television and print media.

PARKING: A special media parking lot is located adjacent to Doyt L. Perry Field, near the southwest corner of the stadium. Access to the media lot is by Alumni Drive which connects Mercer Road (near the Alumni Center) and Wooster Street (near the Information Booth). Admission to the media lot is restricted to people holding special parking passes acquired from the sports information office.

PHOTOGRAPHERS: Photo passes for newspaper photographers, and, under special circumstances, for free lance photographers are available from the sports information office. Photo passes entitle the photographer access to the sideline, and to the locker room after the game, but not to the press box.

POST-GAME COMMUNICATIONS: There are three telephones in the pressbox for use after the game. After the sports information staff completes reports to the wire services and television stations, and beeper reports to the radio stations, these phones are available, free of charge, to members of the media for collect calls. One Xerox **telecopier will also be available on a first-come, first-served basis with prior notification.**

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS: The locker rooms are on the east side of the stadium, and can be entered through the tunnels at either the north or south end. Only people with proper credentials will be admitted. Coach Ankney will hold a media conference and the dressing room will be opened to the media after the normal cooling off period.

PRESS BOX SERVICES: Members of the media will be provided with game programs, flip cards, current statistics and last-minute pre-game notes prior to the start of the game. Statistical summaries will include play-by-play, halftime stats, complete team and individual stats, tackles, and post-game coaches' quotes. Hot dogs, chips, and soft drinks will be available during the game.

PRESS CONFERENCE: Coach Moe Ankney will hold a regular weekly press conference during the season on Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. in his office on the east side of the stadium. All members of the media are welcome to attend.

PRESS GATE: The press gate at Doyt L. Perry Field is at the southwest corner of the stadium, a short walk from the media parking lot.

RADIO: There are limited radio booths in the press box at Doyt L. Perry Field. Requests for permission to broadcast must be made in writing at least **THREE weeks** prior to the game. A rights fee of **\$100** will be charged to broadcast. The fee will be waived for the official station of the visitors. There is space in each booth for four persons, but no spouses or children are allowed. Phone lines can be ordered through General Telephone Company (419/668-3785).

TELEVISION: There are no regularly reserved booths for television, so anyone wishing to televise a game from Doyt L. Perry Field should contact the sports information office at least **ONE MONTH** prior to the game, and preferably, before the start of the season.

Quick Facts About Bowling Green

Location: Bowling Green, OH 43403
Founded: 1910
Enrollment: 17,000
President: Dr. Paul J. Olscamp
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Colors: Burnt Orange & Seal Brown
Nickname: Falcons
Stadium: Doyt Perry Field (30,500)
Turf: Natural grass
Mascot: Freddie Falcon
School Song: "Forward Falcons"
Head Coach: Moe Ankney

Ankney's Record at BGSU: First year
Ankney's Overall Collegiate Record: First year
1985 Overall Record: 11-1
1985 MAC Record: 9-0 (Champions)
Lettermen Returning: 36
Lettermen Lost: 22
Offensive Starters Returning: 5
Defensive Starters Returning: 5
Basic Offensive Formation: I/Pro
Basic Defensive Formation: 50-Shadow

1986 Bowling Green Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time	Last Year	Series Record
September 6	OHIO UNIVERSITY	1:30	38-7 BG	20-17-1 BG
September 13	at Minnesota	7:00 CDT	DNP	First Meeting
September 20	at Central Michigan	1:00	23-18 BG	12-10 BG
September 27	at Miami	1:30	28-24 BG	28-12-3 MU
October 4	WESTERN MICHIGAN	1:30	48-7 BG	24-6-2 BG
October 11	EASTERN MICHIGAN	1:30	42-24 BG	13-7-1 BG
October 18	at Washington	1:00 PDT	DNP	First Meeting
October 25	at Kent State	1:00	26-14 BG	36-12-6 BG
November 1	NORTHERN ILLINOIS	1:30	34-14 BG	7-2 BG
November 8	BALL STATE	1:30	31-6 BG	9-3 BG
November 15	at Toledo	4:30	21-0 BG	27-19-4 BG

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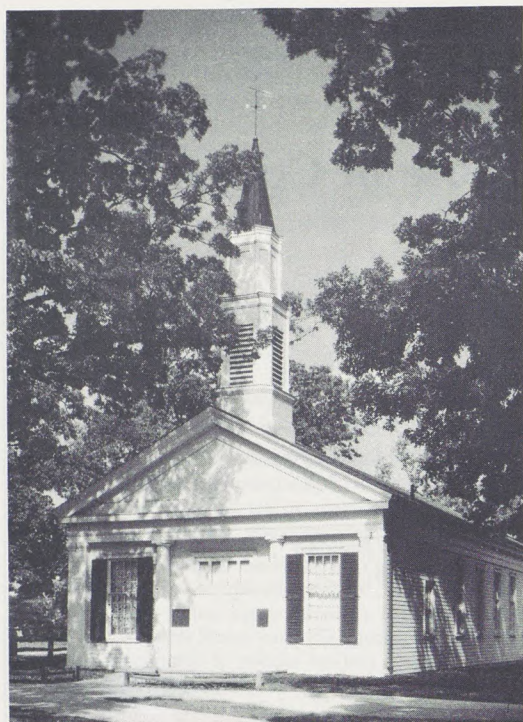
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Bowling Green State University



Prout Chapel



Student Recreation Center

When Bowling Green Normal School opened its doors in 1914, there were 15 faculty members and all 158 students were studying to be teachers. Today the University has more than 725 faculty and 12,000 students on its main campus. Degree programs are offered through the Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education and Allied Professions, Health and Human Services, Musical Arts, and Technology, and a Graduate College. Within the undergraduate colleges are Schools of Art, Mass Communication, Nursing, and Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

The University offers more than 170 undergraduate degree programs, 75 master's degree programs and 12 doctoral degree programs with more than 40 specialty areas.

In addition to courses on the main campus, the University's Firelands College campus, located in Huron, Ohio, offers 17 two-year associate degree programs, as well as courses which fulfill the first two years of a bachelor's degree requirement. Firelands College enrolls about 1,100 students.

Fully accredited at the highest state, regional and national levels, the quality of the University has been demonstrated recently by the decision of Phi Beta Kappa to establish a chapter on campus and by Bowling Green's election to membership in the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges.

The University's faculty members, 82 percent of whom hold the highest degree in their fields, include Fulbright Scholars, authors and nationally known researchers. The caliber of the faculty is reflected, too, in the number of academic programs which are regionally and nationally recognized, among them the psychology and chemistry departments which received 1986 Ohio Board of Regents Eminent Scholar Awards, established by the state legislature to recognize and reward high quality academic programs at state-assisted institutions.

Committed to teaching, faculty are scholars as well, generating new knowledge through independent research and involvement in University units such as the Population and Society Research Center, the Center for Environmental Research and Services, the Center for the Study of Popular Culture, and the Social Philosophy and Policy Center. Bowling Green is also the site of the National Drosophila Species Center and the Mid-American Stock Center—the largest scientific facilities of their kind in the world—where University faculty assist in supplying some 400 species of fruit flies to scientists involved in genetics and cancer research around the globe.

The University's students come from throughout the United States and more than 60 foreign nations. While most students are between the ages of 18-22, the number of those older than 25 is increasing. During the spring term of the 1983-84 academic year, there were 1,400 "non-traditional" adult students enrolled in undergraduate and graduate degree programs on a full- or part-time basis.

The focal point of the 1,250-acre campus is the nine-story Jerome Library, with its collection of more than 2.5 million books, journals, periodicals, microforms, government documents and other materials. Special sections of the library include the Center for Archival Collections which houses materials relevant to northwest Ohio history, the Institute for Great Lakes Research containing materials on the shipping industry's past and present, and the Sound Recording Archives with 245,000 recordings.

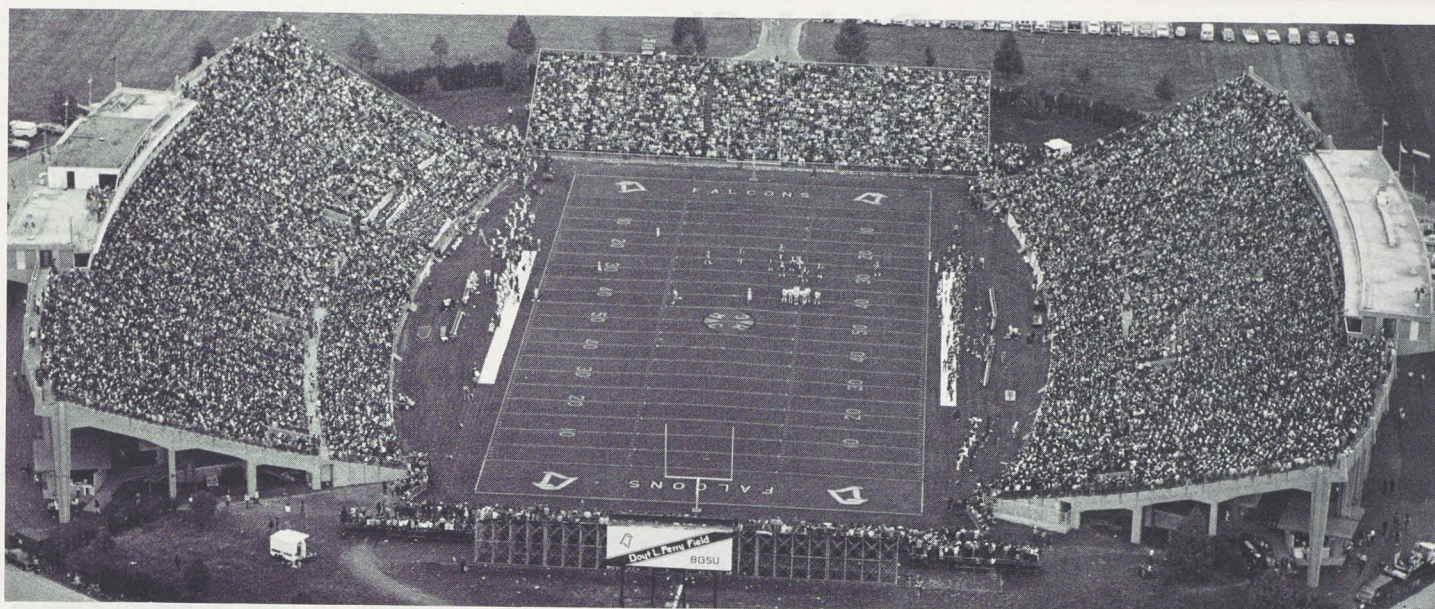
The University is continually refurbishing existing buildings and upgrading facilities to meet current needs. An example is the recently completed remodeling of West Hall, the former music building, to provide up-to-date facilities for the School of Mass Communication. Another is the recent addition of numerous computer facilities across campus, including microcomputer laboratories for student use in residence halls, to ensure that all Bowling Green students are familiar with the technology of the computer age in which we live.

The newest of the more than 100 campus buildings is the \$7.2 million Physical Sciences Laboratory that opened in 1984. The 52,800 square-foot building is the most modern facility of its kind in Ohio and features 30 laboratories, a planetarium, roof-top astronomical observatory and state-of-the-art equipment for teaching and research in chemistry, physics and astronomy.

The Physical Sciences Laboratory is not for the sole use of students and faculty, however. Special programs are held at the planetarium for the public, the latest addition to a wide array of ways the University serves Ohio's citizens.

Others include the Management Center which offers training, consulting and research assistance to business and industry; WBGU-TV, the University's award-winning public television station; the Creative Arts Program which provides instruction in music and dance for young people; Continuing Education courses and conferences for adults as well as children; the Speech and Hearing Clinic with its diagnostic and treatment services; NETWORK BG which utilizes University resources to assist business, industry and government, and cultural events ranging from public concerts and art shows to theatre productions and lectures.

Doyt L. Perry Field



Doyt L. Perry Field, with its 30,000-plus seating capacity, is celebrating its 20th year as the home of Bowling Green State University football.

Built in 1966 for approximately \$3 million as a replacement for the 43-year-old University Stadium, Perry Field had a capacity of 23,272 until bleacher seats were installed in both end zones in 1982.

One of the largest and most attractive athletic facilities in the Mid-American Conference, Perry Field holds the conference records for single-game and season attendance.

On October 8, 1983, a huge crowd of 33,527 packed into Perry Field for the annual BG-Toledo game, establishing a school and MAC record for single-game attendance. The Falcons went on to set a season record, breaking the six-digit figure for five games with a total draw of 100,021. It marked the first time in history that Bowling Green averaged more than 20,000 fans for five home football games. In 1985, BGSU drew 112,110 for 5 home games, setting a new mark for single season attendance.

Perry Field is named in honor of the man who led Bowling Green to a 77-11-5 record in his 10 years as the head coach of the Falcons. After stepping down as head coach in 1964, Doyt Perry remained as the BGSU Athletic Director for six-and-one-half years. Still a resident of Bowling Green, Perry remains one of BGSU's staunchest supporters.

The east side of the stadium includes dressing rooms, the equipment and training rooms, along with the Athletic Department offices. The maintenance area, storage rooms, Falcon Club office, Falcon Clubhouse, academic counselor's office and track and cross country offices are all located on the west side of Perry Field. The west side will also house the new physical fitness center/weight room, which will serve the fitness and strength needs of students involved in the intercollegiate athletic program.

Sitting atop the pressbox on the west side of the stadium is the plush Stadium Club. Now in its seventh year of operation, the Stadium Club's 106 theatre-type seats, which are all sold, provide loyal BGSU fans with one of the finest places to view a game in all of the midwest. The President's Box, located on top of the east side of the stadium, provides seating for President Paul J. Olscamp and other supporters of Falcon football.

Bowling Green won the first game ever played in Perry Field, defeating Dayton, 13-0, on October 1, 1966. Since that

time, the Falcons have won better than 64 percent of their home games, compiling a 63-34-2 record in the 99 games played at Perry Field.

Bowling Green posted its third undefeated home season at Perry Field last season, going 5-0, en route to an 11-0 overall record and its second appearance in the California Bowl. This is the second consecutive year that the Falcons have gone undefeated at home, as the 1984 team also posted a 5-0 record. Over the last four seasons, Bowling Green is 19-1 in the friendly confines of Perry Field.

A multi-purpose facility, Perry Field has also hosted concerts, NFL exhibition games, and major soccer tournaments.

BG's Record At Perry Field

1966	3-1-0	1973	4-1-0	1980	2-3-0
1967	2-3-0	1974	4-1-0	1981	2-2-1
1968	4-1-0	1975	3-2-0	1982	5-0-0
1969	3-2-0	1976	3-3-0	1983	4-1-0
1970	2-2-1	1977	2-3-0	1984	5-0-0
1971	3-2-0	1978	2-3-0	1985	5-0-0
1972	3-1-0	1979	2-3-0		
					Total 63-34-2

Perry Field's Largest Crowds

1. *33,527 vs. Toledo, October 8, 1983
2. 28,110 vs. Toledo, November 16, 1985
3. 26,860 vs. Toledo, October 9, 1971
4. 25,000 vs. Akron, September 28, 1985
5. 24,409 vs. Miami, September 24, 1983
6. 24,194 vs. Miami, October 25, 1975
7. 23,500 vs. Miami, September 21, 1985
8. 22,684 vs. Toledo, October 6, 1973
9. 22,160 vs. Miami, October 20, 1973
10. 21,465 vs. Miami, October 25, 1969
11. 21,404 vs. Ball State, November 6, 1982
12. 21,250 vs. Toledo, October 24, 1981
13. 20,820 vs. Toledo, October 11, 1969
14. 20,547 vs. Toledo, October 14, 1967
15. 20,507 vs. Kent State, October 14, 1972

*MAC Record

Paul J. Olscamp President, Bowling Green State University

Since Dr. Paul J. Olscamp became the eighth president of Bowling Green State University in July 1982, several changes have been made to move Bowling Green into the ranks of nationally important universities.

Greater faculty involvement in governing the University, expanded resources for campus libraries and increased emphasis upon faculty research activities have all occurred at Bowling Green during the past four years.

And the University's direction during the next decade has been clearly charted in a Role and Mission Statement, a 27-goal document aimed at improving the quality of undergraduate and graduate students, the University's academic programs, the learning environment and the faculty and its resources.

However, Olscamp knows that very few of the University's plans will materialize without adequate financing. While state appropriations can hopefully be counted upon for day-to-day operations, other kinds of resources must be tapped if Bowling Green is to enhance its position as a university.

During his tenure, Olscamp has presided over a quadrupling of the school's endowment to nearly \$4 million. Private contributions in 1984-85 reached a new high of \$2.8 million.

And to mark its 75th anniversary, Olscamp in November 1985 announced plans for a \$12.5 million three-year campaign that is the most ambitious in University history. In its first year, the 75th Anniversary Fund raised more than \$7.8 million.

To further assure that the University will have funds to meet its academic goals, Olscamp initiated a plan to restructure debt service obligations that by the year 2000 should have a principal of nearly \$35 million. Interest on that amount should provide about \$3.5 million annually to the academic budget.

Olscamp called the plan, which has been approved by the Ohio Attorney General, a "once in a lifetime chance to lay the foundation for future generations."

In addition, in 1984 the Trustees, at Olscamp's request, created an internal endowment fund of \$4 million from various University reserves. The balance of that fund currently exceeds \$5.6 million and, if left untouched, is expected to reach \$10 million in about five years at which point the annual interest of about \$1 million will be used to support academic programs.

Increasing minority representation on campus has also been a major effort of Olscamp's administration. In 1985 an Office of Minority Affairs was created to provide services to assist minority students and recruitment efforts were increased to attract more minorities to campus. In addition, the University is committed to increasing the number of minority faculty members.

Students have always occupied an important place on Olscamp's agenda and several moves have significantly improved student life at Bowling Green. In May 1984 the Board of Trustees approved a student legal services program, the first of its kind in Ohio to employ an attorney. Both the program



and the attorney are financed by a special voluntary fee that, so far, has drawn support from more than 80 percent of the student body.

An installment payment plan was developed enabling students to defer fee payments over the course of a semester. From its beginning in September 1983 the plan has been popular with students, resulting in more young men and women being able to attend the University.

Another student benefit has been the installation of computer labs in all University residence halls, reflecting Olscamp's desire to have all students who graduate from Bowling Green to have a background in computer usage.

As a state university president, Olscamp has made it a point to work closely with state government officials and legislators. He has testified about the needs of higher education before several legislative committees and has been a leading spokesperson for improved operating and capital budgets for higher education in the state.

In 1984-85, he was president of the Inter-University Council, which provides a forum on higher education issues in the state and represents higher education interests to the state legislature.

Olscamp has continually emphasized the internationality of education and has made two trips abroad to further educational opportunities for University faculty and students. In 1983 he visited Bowling Green's study abroad programs in Spain, France and Austria. In England, the site of another University program, he initiated a plan to reduce the costs for Bowling Green students studying in that country.

In 1984 he traveled to China to strengthen existing exchange programs with universities in that country and to explore further opportunities for faculty and students to study in the People's Republic of China. Bowling Green has one of the more active exchange programs with China with ten faculty members teaching, studying and lecturing there since 1983.

Other highlights of Olscamp's first four years at Bowling Green include:

—addition of four alumni chapters in Ohio and 13 more in other states to gain greater alumni support, particularly in raising funds

for chapter scholarship programs.

—membership for Bowling Green in the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges, the oldest university association in the country, comprising the nation's 143 best universities.

—creating NETWORK BG, a public service program using University expertise and facilities to aid area businesses, industries and organizations.

—the appointment of two women vice presidents, the first in University history.

Born in Montreal, Olscamp received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Western Ontario in 1958 and 1960, respectively. In 1962 he earned his doctoral degree in philosophy at the University of Rochester.

Later that year he accepted a position as an instructor of philosophy at Ohio State University. In 1963 he was promoted to assistant professor and in 1966 was awarded the rank of associate professor.

In 1969 he was named associate dean at Ohio State and a year later became vice president for academic affairs, dean of faculties and professor of philosophy at Roosevelt University.

In 1972 he became executive assistant to the chancellor of Syracuse University and later, vice chancellor for student programs at Syracuse.

At age 37, he was named president of Western Washington University in 1975 and guided that University for seven years before his appointment at Bowling Green.

Despite his busy administrative schedule, Olscamp finds the time to teach a course in philosophy almost every semester. "Teaching lets you get back to what the real business is all about—providing educational services to humans," he explains.

His publications include four books: "Descartes: The Discourse, Optics, Geometry and Meteorology," "The Moral Philosophy of George Berkeley," "Philosophy: An Introduction" and "Malebranche: The Search After Truth."

He has written numerous articles on higher education management and in his discipline, philosophy, and has served on several national higher education committees, including the board of directors of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities.

Active in his off time, Olscamp has a number of hobbies, including writing poetry and flying. He is also an accomplished skier, has parachuted, run a 26-mile marathon and earned a black belt in karate. In high school and college, he played football, was the tenor lead in musical productions, swam, and was the captain of his debating and skiing teams.

He also enjoys sailing and has sailed from Hawaii to the mainland in a 44' sloop.

He is married to the former Ruth Ilene Pratt, a native of Akron. A practicing speech pathologist who is currently coordinator of clinical services in the communications disorders department in the College of Health and Human Services, she is a graduate of Heidelberg College and Ohio University.

Athletic Director Jack Gregory

John C. (Jack) Gregory begins his fifth year as the director of athletics at Bowling Green State University. He was appointed to the position on July 15, 1982.

In Gregory's first four years at Bowling Green, the Falcons have enjoyed some of their finest moments in history, winning the 1984 national championship in ice hockey and claiming Mid-American Conference championships in numerous other sports, including two football championships, along with two trips to the California Bowl. In the last four years, Falcon teams have claimed league titles in ice hockey, football, men's basketball, men's golf, women's cross country and women's gymnastics. BG achieved another notable accomplishment this past year, finishing second in the Jacoby Trophy standings, its highest finish thus far. The Jacoby Trophy is in its fourth year, and tallies the overall records of women's Mid-American Conference teams.

Gregory came to Bowling Green at a time when BGSU and the Mid-American Conference were fighting to remain in college football's Division I-A upper echelon. Behind his leadership, Bowling Green became the front runner in helping to achieve that goal.

During his tenure here, BGSU has set school and conference attendance records in football and hockey. In 1983, 33,527 football fans packed Doyt L. Perry Field to witness the BG-Toledo game, setting school and MAC single game attendance marks. The Falcons drew over 100,000 fans for five games at Perry Field, a first in the school's history. Sell-out crowds for BG's hockey games have become the norm as well, mak-



ing game tickets the hottest items in town during the winter. Gregory's leadership in the area of television has helped BGSU sports become a popular item in Northwest Ohio.

Gregory, 57, has also been instrumental in the record-breaking development of the Falcon Club, the University's official athletic department booster club. Recent membership drives have encompassed the Toledo, Cleveland and Lima areas, with financial contributions mounting to unequaled levels.

A 1952 graduate of East Stroudsburg State College in Eastern Pennsylvania and holder of a master's degree in physical education from Temple University, Gregory came to Bowling Green from Yale, where he served for four years as associate athletic

director. While at Yale, he was responsible for generating income, managing the university's 33-sport program and supervising staff operations.

Gregory began his professional career in 1952 as a teacher and coach at William Penn High School in New Castle, Delaware, and later at P.S. Dupont High School in Wilmington, Delaware.

In 1959, he returned to East Stroudsburg as head football coach and assistant professor of physical education.

One of the most successful coaches in the school's history, Gregory was inducted into the East Stroudsburg Athletic Hall of Fame in October, 1983.

After six years at East Stroudsburg, Gregory was named assistant football coach at the U.S. Naval Academy, and in 1967, he was named head football coach at Villanova University. In 1969, he moved to the University of Rhode Island, where he served as head football coach for seven years.

In his 25 years on the high school level and at East Stroudsburg, Villanova and Rhode Island, Gregory's teams compiled a record of 132-69, including four undefeated seasons and seven league championships. He was twice selected as NAIA Coach of the Year, twice selected as Pennsylvania Coach of the Year and was named NCAA District Coach of the Year.

He was lured away from coaching in 1976 by the Green Bay Packers of the National Football League. He served in Green Bay's player personnel department for three years before moving on to Yale.

Jack and his wife, Peg, are the parents of two sons.



Moe Ankney

Howard M. "Moe" Ankney became Bowling Green State University's 13th head football coach on December 30, 1985 when he was appointed to the position by Athletic Director Jack Gregory.

For Ankney, it brings him back to his alma mater where he was a quarterback under the legendary Doyt L. Perry from 1961-63 before graduating in 1964. During his 15-year collegiate coaching career, Ankney has made coaching stops at Ball State, Tulane and Arizona, coached in several major bowl games, and guided some of the nation's top defensive units.

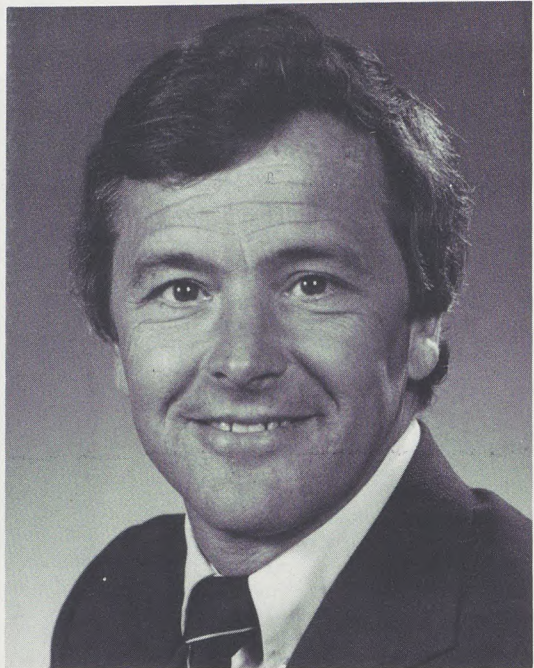
Ankney joined the Falcons from the University of Arizona where he served as the assistant head coach, defensive coordinator and secondary coach for the past six seasons. His defensive teams finished among the national leaders in defense each of the past four years. The 1985 Wildcat defense finished ninth in the nation in defense against the run, 13th in total defense, and seventh in scoring defense, allowing just over 12 points per game. The Pac-10's leading tackler for each of the past four seasons has been one of Ankney's defenders.

Ankney, 44, grew up in Xenia, Ohio before moving to Kettering before his senior year in high school. He graduated from Fairmont High School in 1960 as an all-state quarterback and four-year letterman. He was named the outstanding Dayton area athlete in 1959 and participated in the North-South All-Star game. At BGSU, Ankney was a reserve quarterback on Doyt L. Perry's 1961-62-63 teams that posted a three-year record of 23-5-1 and claimed two Mid-American Conference championships. He completed eight of 19 passes for 75 yards during his career and earned two letters. Moe's decision to attend Bowling Green was heavily influenced by his cousin, Bob Colburn, quarterback and captain of Doyt Perry's 1959 national championship team. Colburn was a senior at BGSU when Moe was a senior in high school. While an undergraduate, Ankney earned election to Omicron Delta Kappa, a leadership honorary, Phi Alpha Theta, a history honorary, and Kappa Delta Pi, an education honorary.

Ankney comes from a football family. His uncle Pete was his head coach at Fairmont High School. Pete Ankney also was a head coach at Canton McKinley High School and at the University of Dayton. Moe's father Ben coached at Miami University and at Xenia High School.

"After I graduated from Bowling Green in 1964 and went on to become a high school coach, I always dreamed that I might follow in the footsteps of Doyt Perry and coach at Bowling Green," said Ankney. "To be the head coach is a tremendous honor and I hope I can live up the tradition of excellence of Bowling Green football."

In becoming the head coach at Bowling Green, Ankney left not only Arizona, but a friend in Wildcat head coach Larry Smith. Like Ankney, Smith is a Bowling Green graduate and the two have coached together for the past 10 seasons. Smith says of Ankney, "He's been my right hand and right arm for the last 10 years and a friend for much longer than that."



Prior to joining the Arizona staff in 1980, Ankney was Smith's defensive coordinator and secondary coach at Tulane for four seasons between 1976-79. Prior to that, he was the secondary coach at Ball State from 1971-75 under the late Dave McClain.

Following his graduation from Bowling Green in 1964, Ankney was an assistant football and wrestling coach at Eaton High School for the 1964-65 seasons and then became head coach at Dayton Northridge in 1966. He moved on to Dayton Wayne High School as head coach in football and tennis in 1967 and stayed until 1971 when he joined the Ball State staff. His five-year head coaching record in the high school ranks stands at 24-21-5. While coaching in the Dayton area, Ankney earned his master's degree from Miami University in 1969.

During Ankney's three previous coaching tenures at the major college level, he has been instrumental in helping to rebuild struggling programs. While at Ball State, the Cardinals improved their record from 4-5-1 in 1971 to 9-2 in 1975. At Tulane, Ankney helped the Green Wave from a 2-9 record in 1976, to a 9-2 mark and a berth in the Liberty Bowl in 1979. The Arizona Wildcats were 5-6 in 1980 and improved their record to 8-3-1 last year including a 13-13 tie with Georgia in the Sun Bowl.

While recognized for his defensive expertise, Ankney brings with him a solid offensive philosophy including his playing career as a quarterback. He has become known as an outstanding recruiter and developer of young talent. Among his former players now in the National Football League are Denver Bronco linebacker Ricky Hunley and Cleveland Browns defensive back Al Gross. More than 20 of his former players have gone on to professional football.

Moe and his wife Carlalee are the parents of three children: Angela, 22, Andy, 21 and Molly, 18. Ankney was born June 23, 1942 and his full name is Howard Milton Ankney. His son Andy and his wife recently made Moe and Carlalee grandparents with a daughter, Ashley.

Quoting Moe Ankney

On being named the head coach at Bowling Green:

"This is the greatest honor of my life. There's no question about that. I left Bowling Green in 1964. I went down Interstate 75 with Jack Harbaugh to become an assistant at Eaton High School. And when I left that day I took my daughter Angie out to the old stadium, she was one year old, and we stood under the old goal posts and I thought at that time about some day coming back to Bowling Green as a coach. But I don't think in my wildest dreams I thought about being a head coach. I just wanted to come back here some day as an assistant coach. This is a tremendous honor for me and I just want to promise the people of the University and the community that I will do the very best that I can to continue the excellence in the football program at Bowling Green. I want to continue the tradition of great football teams and a winning football program."

On the state of the Falcon program: "I know it is not going to be easy, I know it's going to be a challenge, it's going to be tough because it's not a rebuilding job. Bowling Green last year won 11 games and won the Mid-American Conference championship. So to try to continue that is going to be a tough job. I understand that. I tell my players every Saturday before we go out to play, to 'do your best and forget about the rest.' And that's what I'm going to do. I'm going to do my best and not worry about all the other things that come about."

On being a football coach: "I owe a lot to a lot of people. My father was a coach, Ben Ankney, and brought me a long way. My uncle, Pete Ankney, was a coach. My cousin Bobby Colburn was the inspiration as to why I came to Bowling Green in 1960. Bobby was the quarterback here in 1959 and is in the Hall of Fame. Larry Smith, whom I've been with for 10 years, has been an inspiration in my coaching career along with the late Dave McClain. It's been a long road of 22 years to get here and I'm just thrilled to be here. I have been a Bowling Green person all my life and now I get a chance to

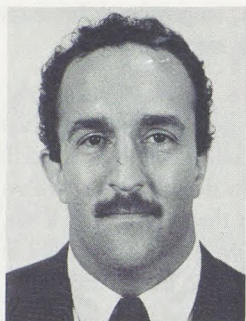
do something for Bowling Green, to pay back for everything that Bowling Green has done for me."

On his Bowling Green game plan: "Everybody's concerned about what the offense is going to be like. Everybody knows that I am a defensive football coach and have been for a long time. I believe we've got to do with what we've got. If we've got a quarterback that can throw the ball, if we've got receivers that can catch it, if we've got an offensive line that can protect, we're going to continue to throw the ball. I know, being a defensive coach, that people are concerned about the passing game. We'll throw the football. I think Bowling Green has recruited well the last two years and I'm sure we've got people who can throw it, catch it and protect. And we'll continue to do it, if we can do it effectively, to throw the football and score a lot of points. On the other hand, I want to make clear, right from the start, that we're going to win games anyway we can win them. We're not going to throw the ball 50 times a game just to keep people in the stands happy. I'm a firm believer that you win football games by playing great defense and by having a sound kicking game. But we're also going to have a very exciting and imaginative and wide open and go-after-'em type offense. The other thing I believe about football is it's a tough game. It's not an easy game. It's the toughest game that there is. I don't care if you're playing offense, defense, or you're on the kicking team, you've got to be a football player. You've got to be tough, you've got to be aggressive and you've got to go after your opponent. Because football has never been easy, it's not going to be easy. Whenever it gets easy, we'll probably change the name of it."

On the influence of Doyt L. Perry: "Doyt has been one of the great men in my life and I know that I owe him a great deal and it's going to be a very emotional time for me when I walk out into the stadium, and know that I'm coaching in a stadium and on a field that is named after Doyt Perry, one of the great coaches in the history of football and one of the greatest men that I have ever known."



Assistant Coaches



Andy Garver (Defensive Line Coach)

Andy Garver, 28, the defensive line coach, is a 1980 graduate of Tulane University where he was a student assistant coach. Following his graduation, he was a part-time assistant coach at Arizona for the 1981-82 seasons and then was a graduate assistant at Notre Dame in 1983-84 where he earned his master's degree in communications. Garver spent the 1985 season coaching at Jesuit High School in New Orleans. During his coaching career, he has coached in four bowl games. While at Tulane, the Green Wave appeared in the Liberty Bowl in 1979 and the Hall of Fame Bowl in 1980. While at Notre Dame, Andy helped the Fighting Irish to appearances in the 1983 Liberty Bowl and the 1984 Aloha Bowl.

A 1976 graduate of Sarasota High School in Sarasota, Florida, Andy is married and he and his wife Terri are the parents of an 20-month old daughter, Allison.

"I've known Andy since 1976," said Moe Ankney. "He is a very hard worker who always gets the job done. He has great experience for such a young coach."

Besides coaching the defensive line, Garver will serve as Bowling Green's recruiting coordinator. He will also supervise the kicking game and specialty teams. His recruiting responsibility will cover Northwest Ohio.

Andy was born March 4, 1958 in Natick, Massachusetts.

Jon Hoke (Defensive Backfield Coach)

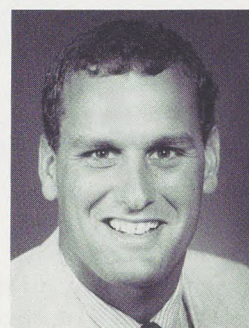
Jon Hoke begins his fourth season in charge of the defensive secondary at Bowling Green after joining the staff in the summer of 1983. In addition to his coaching duties, Hoke recruits the Dayton and Cincinnati areas and will supervise the team's fields, equipment, supplies and facilities.

Hoke, 29, is a 1975 graduate of Fairmont East High School in Kettering and a 1980 graduate of Ball State University. While at Ball State, he played for then-Cardinal defensive back coach Moe Ankney. He was a four-year starter in the defensive secondary for the Cardinals from 1976-79 and an all-Mid-American Conference selection as a senior. He was BSU's defensive back of the week six times and twice earned MAC Player of the Week honors. During his playing days, Hoke helped lead the Cardinals to a 33-11 composite record and two MAC titles.

After graduating from Ball State with a degree in physical education, Hoke signed as a free agent with the Chicago Bears and played with them for one season. He was also a member of the Kansas City Chiefs before leaving pro football in 1982.

Hoke spent one season as a part-time secondary coach at the University of Dayton before serving in the same capacity at North Carolina State University in the spring of 1983.

Born January 24, 1957, Jon is married to the former Jody Lynn Hilles and they are expecting their first child this fall. Jody's father is Jim Hilles, the head football coach at the University of Wisconsin.



Terry Malone (Tight Ends and Assistant Offensive Line Coach)

Terry Malone, 26, joins the Falcon staff as an assistant offensive line and tight ends coach after one season as an assistant at Holy Cross College in Worcester, Massachusetts. Malone graduated from Detroit Central Catholic High School in 1978 and was a four-year starting tight end at Holy Cross. He earned all-New England honors in 1982 and also captained the '82 team. He graduated from Holy Cross in 1983 with a degree in history. Malone was a graduate assistant at Arizona in 1983-84 working with the offensive line and earning a degree in secondary education before returning to his alma mater in the spring of 1985.

"Terry is a young, enthusiastic coach who will do a fine job on the field," said Ankney. "He has the potential to be an excellent recruiter."

In addition to coaching the tight ends and offensive line, Malone will be in charge of scouting and film breakdown. He will also work as BGSU's strength coach and will recruit the Detroit suburbs and junior colleges.

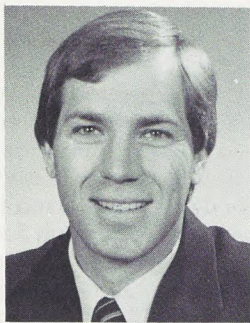
Malone, who is single, was born February 26, 1960 in Buffalo, New York.

Mike Mangili (Inside Linebackers Coach)

Mike Mangili, 32, will coach the Falcons' outside linebackers. A native of Stockton, California, Mike had an outstanding football, basketball and baseball career at Stockton's St. Mary's High. He attended California State-Sacramento, graduating with a degree in biology in 1978. He was a two-year letterman as an offensive lineman. Mangili spent six seasons at Stockton, California's Amos Alonzo Stagg High School where he rose from junior varsity coach to defensive coordinator. Mike became a graduate assistant coach at Arizona in 1983, working with the defensive backs until his appointment at Bowling Green. Mike and his wife Lauren were married April 27, 1985.

In addition to coaching the inside linebackers, Mangili will be in charge of player relations. He will recruit the Columbus area.





Mark Miller (Receivers and Quarterback Coach)

Mark Miller begins his fourth season as Bowling Green's receivers coach and adds the quarterback responsibility for the first time. No stranger to Falcon football, Miller was a record-setting quarterback at BGSU from 1974-77 and a part-time assistant coach in 1982. In addition to his coaching responsibilities, Miller coordinates the BGSU Summer Sports School football camp and recruits the Akron-Canton area.

A 1974 graduate of Canton South High School and a 1978 alumnus of Bowling Green, Miller earned first team all-MAC honors as a senior. Miller, 29, set numerous passing and total offense records at BGSU that stood until QB Brian McClure came on the Falcon scene. Tri-captain of the Falcon team as a senior, Mark finished his collegiate career with 455 pass completions in 851 attempts. He threw for 5,919 yards and 33 touchdowns while gaining 6,329 yards in total offense. All are former BGSU records.

Following graduation, Miller was drafted and signed by the Cleveland Browns where he spent two seasons as a back-up to Brian Sipe. After a season with the Green Bay Packers, Miller was a quarterback on the 1983 USFL Champion Michigan Panthers.

Born August 13, 1956, Miller is married to the former Barb Reardon, a BGSU cheerleader during Miller's playing days for the Falcons. They are the parents of two sons, Zachary, 5, and Adam, 2. Mark is also very active in the Bowling Green chapter of Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Mark will also supervise the academic side of the team while working with Director of Academic Affairs Dr. Pat Cleveland.

Reggie Oliver (Offensive Backfield Coach)

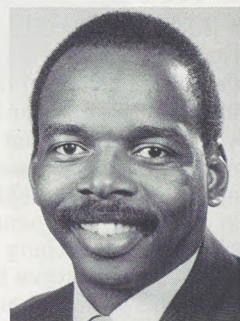
Reggie Oliver begins his third season on the Falcon football staff this year as the offensive backfield coach. In addition to his coaching responsibilities, Oliver recruits the Detroit and Flint, Michigan areas and will also supervise relations with professional scouts.

Oliver, 34, came to Bowling Green after five years as an assistant coach at Marshall University in Huntington, WV. Prior to that, he was an assistant football and head baseball coach at Huntington High School.

A native of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, Oliver is a 1970 graduate of Druid High School in Tuscaloosa where he was a teammate of the Pittsburgh Steelers' John Stallworth. Reggie graduated from Marshall in 1975 after earning three letters as a quarterback and earned honorable mention all-America honors in 1973. He was Marshall's Outstanding Back that year, while being named one of the "Outstanding College Athletes of America" in 1972 and 1973. He held a number of game, season and career passing marks upon graduation.

Oliver was signed by the Jacksonville Sharks of the World Football League in 1974 and finished eighth in the league in passing. In a nationally televised game that season, Reggie threw for over 300 yards against the Philadelphia Bell and was named the game's MVP. He later had a try-out with the Dallas Cowboys after twice earning WFL Player of the Week honors.

The leader of Bowling Green's explosive ground attack, "The Real Estate Co.", Oliver was born October 20, 1951. He is single.



Bob Reublin (Assistant Head Coach and Offensive Line Coach)

Bob Reublin, 47, is a 1961 Bowling Green graduate who was a standout running back while with the Falcons. After a stint with the New York Giants, Reublin served with the Falcons as a graduate assistant before being named as head football coach at Sandusky High School where he posted a record of 26-4 during the 1966-68 seasons and had two teams ranked in the final three in the state. In 1969, Reublin became the offensive coordinator at Miami University and stayed until 1974 when he joined Bill Mallory as defensive coordinator at Colorado. Reublin remained at Colorado until 1979. He had been involved in private enterprise over the past six years until joining Moe Ankney's staff early this past year. He is married and the father of four daughters.

"Bob brings experience and maturity to a young coaching staff," said Ankney. "He has been outstanding at every coaching stop in his career. He knows football and he is an excellent teacher."

As the assistant head coach, Reublin will assume the head coaching duties in the absence of Moe Ankney as well as performing numerous administrative duties. He will also recruit the Cleveland west side.

Assistant Coaches



Bob Wolfe (Outside Linebackers Coach)

Bob Wolfe, 40, comes to Bowling Green after three seasons as the head football coach at Allegheny College in Meadville, PA. Wolfe is a 1969 graduate of Bowling Green State University with a degree in education. While a Falcon, Wolfe was a reserve defensive halfback under Bob Gibson and Don Nehlen. A native of Upper Sandusky, Wolfe went on to serve as an assistant football coach at Ball State (1970-72), Washington & Jefferson (1973), and Youngstown State (1974-75) before becoming the head coach at Trinity High School in Garfield Heights, OH in 1976. He remained there until 1980 when he was named head coach at Warren Harding HS in Warren, OH. He then spent one season at the University of Cincinnati (1982) before being named head coach at Allegheny in 1983. Wolfe is married and he and his wife Karen are the parents of three children: Eric, 16, Kevin, 12, and Christine, 7.

"Bob and I coached together at Ball State in 1972," said Ankney. "He has coached at all levels of football and loves the game. He knows Ohio football and will be a fine recruiter in the state."

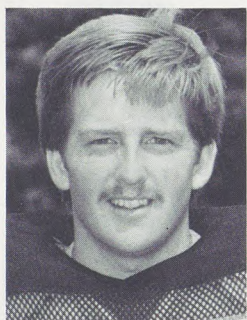
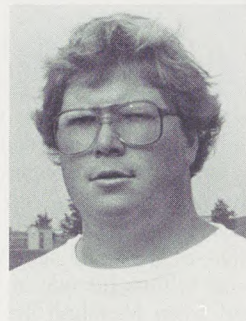
Wolfe will recruit Northeast Ohio including the Cleveland east side and the Youngstown and Warren areas. Wolfe will also coordinate team Incentive, Motivation & Pride. As IMP coordinator, he will supervise weekly and season team awards as well as handle various other administrative duties.

Brian Rock (Graduate Assistant)

Brian Rock, a native of Bowling Green, begins his second year with the Falcon football program. Rock will serve as a graduate assistant this season and will work with the offensive line. He is also the recipient of the Doyt and Loretta Perry Scholarship, awarded each year to a deserving graduate assistant football coach.

Rock, 24, was a standout football tight end and defensive end while also playing basketball and tennis at Bowling Green High School, graduating in 1980. He immediately began his coaching career while attending BGSU and earned his degree in business education with a minor in coaching. He spent three seasons coaching at the junior high school before moving to the varsity and coaching the receivers under head coach Morley Fraser. Last year, Rock worked with the defensive backs in the fall and the offensive line.

Brian and his wife Lori are the parents of a daughter, Kirsten Lee, born in May of 1986.



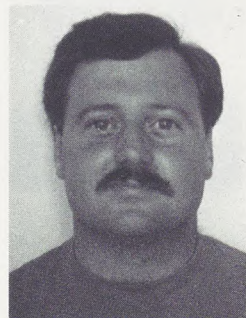
Jay Hood (Graduate Assistant)

Jay Hood comes from a football background. His father, Wally Hood, is the head football coach at Fairmont State College in West Virginia, and both of his brothers are involved in coaching. Hood was a four-year starter at quarterback at Ohio Wesleyan, an NCAA Division III school located in Delaware, Ohio. He was a three year captain and established seven school passing records. Hood served as a student assistant at Ohio Wesleyan last year, assisting with recruiting as well as the other aspects of the program. He has served as a camp counselor at the Ohio State University Football Camp for the past four summers.

Hood graduated from Ohio Wesleyan with a degree in Health and Physical Education. He intends to pursue a master's degree in physical education. While at Wesleyan, he was an officer and member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes Huddle.

Bruce Gregory (Volunteer Assistant)

Bruce Gregory joins the Falcon staff this year as a volunteer assistant coach. Gregory, 25, was a football letterman at Western Maryland College where he was a wide receiver. He graduated from WMC in 1984 with a degree in physical education. He is a 1979 graduate of South Kingstown High School in Rhode Island. Bruce and his wife Tracy reside in Bowling Green. Bruce is the son of Jack and Peg Gregory. Jack Gregory is Bowling Green's Athletic Director.



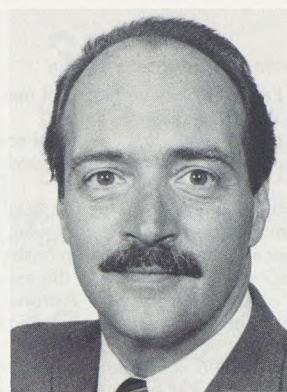
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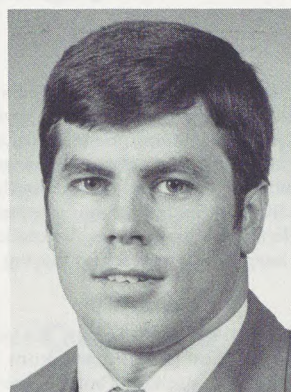
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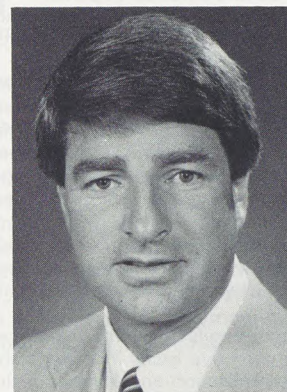
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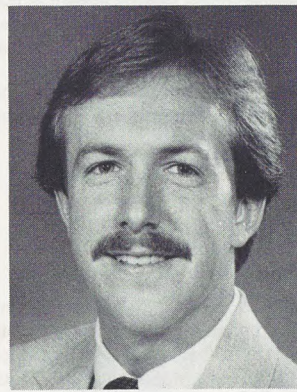
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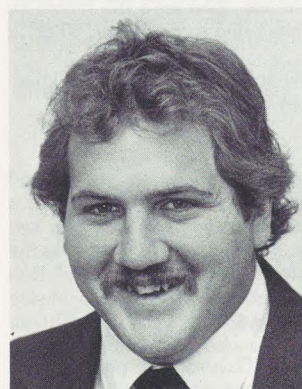
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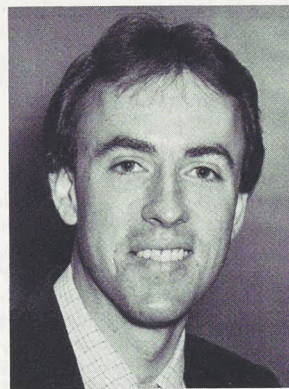
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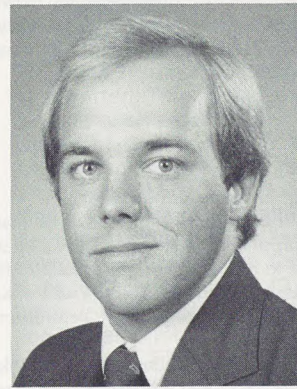
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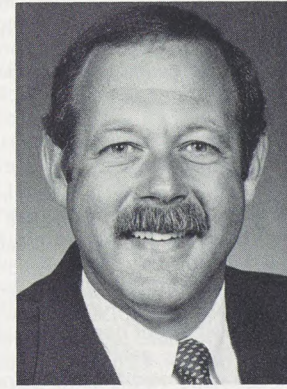
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New Faces, New Places For Falcons in '86

The Bowling Green Falcons will have plenty of new faces and travel to a few new places during the 1986 season.

The changes begin at the top with first year head coach Moe Ankney who takes over the Mid-American Conference's most successful football program in the 1980's.

Ankney, a 1964 BGSU graduate, became the head Falcon on December 30 and inherited a team that posted an 11-0 regular season record last fall and won the Mid-American Conference championship going away.

Ankney joined the BG staff after serving as the assistant head coach and defensive coordinator at the University of Arizona. Ankney also made coaching stops at Ball State and Tulane before earning his first head coaching position at his alma mater.

The new places on the 1986 schedule include first time meetings with Washington and Minnesota. The Huskies are picked not only as a Pac-10 challenger but also a potential national contender. The Golden Gophers are coming off an Independence Bowl triumph over Clemson when they host the Falcons on September 13 in their season opener.

Ankney will greet 36 returning lettermen on August 14 when pre-season camp opens. The Falcons will then have just over three weeks to prepare for the September 6 opener with Ohio.

Missing from last year's club will be quarterback Brian McClure, the most prolific passer in NCAA history, and his entire receiving corps. McClure passed for 10,280 yards, the second most ever by a major college quarterback next to Doug Flutie's NCAA record. McClure's receiving corps of Stan Hunter, Greg Meehan and Joe Boxley has also graduated. Hunter became the MAC's career receiving leader during his four-year stint, and Boxley and Meehan added outside speed at flanker.

Also departed is the starting backfield of Bernard White and George Schmelzle. White was the nation's leading scorer last year with 19 touchdowns to his credit while Schmelzle was invaluable as a pass receiver and blocker.

Also scheduled for rebuilding is the Falcon defense which lost starters and all-MAC performers in defensive backs Melvin Marshall and Sean Dykes, defensive linemen Vince Villanucci and Mike Foor, inside linebacker Troy Dawson and outside linebacker Chris Hartman.

But Ankney is pleased with the progress the Falcons made during spring practice and he feels that the 1986 team will be very representative of past Bowling Green clubs. Starting tight end Gerald Bayless returns as well as five starting offensive linemen. But who will be given the task of filling the shoes of the departed McClure? There are four other starting offensive spots that need to be filled, including wide receiver, flanker, fullback and tailback.

Defensively, BG returns starters in defensive end John Hunter, tackle Phil Walker, inside linebacker Erik Johnson, and backs Dean Bryson and Lesley Harris. But there are questions to be answered defensively also.

Here is a position by position look at the 1986 Falcons.

Quarterback

"I think Jeff Sandru and Eric Smith did a fine job this spring but we don't know what will happen when we start playing games," said Ankney. "Both Sandru and Smith have a lot of improvement to do between the first practice (in August) and the first game. I think we'll have depth at quarterback because I don't expect our back-up guy to be very far from the number one guy."

Heading into the fall, Sandru, a junior from Martin's Ferry has the edge over Alma, Michigan product Smith. But a pair of freshmen, including Bowling Green native Rich Tracy, and Lima Bath's Rich Dackin will battle for playing time. Highly touted sophomore Pat Clarksean injured his knee during spring practice and is questionable for the fall season.

Running Backs

Ankney is concerned about inexperience at tailback and fullback.

"Fullback really concerns me because I thought Bowling Green's offense got a lot out of George Schmelzle last year and his back-up, Bill Kuhlman (both of whom have graduated). We have to come up with a fullback to fill the same role of blocking, running, and pass catching. I'm pleased with Mike Otten and Shawn Daniels. They are in the same category as our quarterbacks; they need to keep improving.

"At tailback, it's hard to say just how good we are. We have three tailbacks in Jeff Davis, Darryl Story, and Mike McGee. We have more depth than last year. We'll try to get as much production out of those three as they did last year with one (Bernard White). But we will run our fullback more."

Receivers

"There's not a lack of talent, it is just unproven," said first year coach Ankney. "Gerald Bayless is the best tight end in the MAC and he had a great spring. At wide receiver, Ken Rankin is a big play guy. He's the leader of the wide receiver corps and the guy we'll depend on outside."

Ankney is pleased with the progress of redshirted freshmen Ronald Heard and Reggie Thornton, both of whom are slated for plenty of playing time this fall.

Offensive Line

The heart and soul of the Falcon offense lies in the offensive line where all five returners started in the California Bowl last December in Fresno. Headlining the group is unanimous all-MAC selection Mike Estep at right guard. Center Eric Helgesen, guard Dave Bittner, and tackle Mark Nelson all were starters in all 12 games last fall and each was a second team all-league selection. Left tackle Eric Williams stepped in as a starter in the seventh game of the 1985 campaign, replacing the injured Dan Schriener, and started in the California Bowl.

Defense

Defensively, Ankney will put to test his many years as a defensive coordinator to come up with replacements for five departed all-league players.

"Spring practice showed that we are a good defensive football team," said Ankney. "We have some big play type players and we have improved our running and hitting. When I spoke with other coaches from around the league and asked them why Bowling Green has won in the past, they always said because of the defense. We have enough experience sprinkled in our older guys, and they'll keep our younger guys playing hard."

Defensive Line

BG will sport a new look on the defensive line this year. Instead of having two defensive tackles and a nose tackle, the Falcons will have a tackle, a nose, and a guard. The names may change but the basic responsibility will remain the same. Heading the defensive charge will be tackle Phil Walker, a returning starter, nose tackle Greg Johnson, and guard Jack Coppess.

Linebackers

The outside linebackers/defensive ends have been given the nicknames of "Ed" and "Ollie". John Hunter and Joe Foley are the top prospects at "Ed" while Tony Parker and Wayne Wright are the leaders at "Ollie". The inside backers will be clarified as "Sam" and "Willy" with returning starter Erik Johnson at "Sam" and Paul Schweitzer at "Willy".

Secondary

The defensive backfield must replace starters Melvin Marshall and Sean Dykes. Lesley Harris is penciled in to start at weak cornerback with Ray Southard slated to back him up. Ray Redd, a part-time starter the last two seasons, should become a full-time starter at strong cornerback. Dean Bryson returns to start at strong safety with sophomore Kyle Kramer projected to step in at free safety.

Kicking Game

Adding to the supply of talent returning for the Falcons in '86 is the kicking game of punter Greg A. Johnson, and placekicker Paul Silvi. Johnson was a first team selection last year while averaging 40.8 yards per punt and putting 19 of 60 kicks inside the opponents 20-yard line. Silvi set a BG record by converting on all 40 extra point attempts while being successful on 10 of 12 field goal attempts.

"We have two established kickers in Silvi and Johnson," said Ankney. "The kicking game can win us a lot of games this year."

Coaching Staff

Five new assistant coaches dot the coaching staff this year as well as head coach Moe Ankney. Ankney added defensive line coach Andy Garver, a Tulane graduate who was a graduate assistant coach at Notre Dame for two seasons; outside linebacker coach Bob Wolfe, a BGSU graduate who was the head coach at Allegheny College in Pennsylvania; offensive line coach Bob Reublin, another BG grad who was most recently at Colorado; inside linebacker coach Mike Mangili who joined the staff from Arizona; and tight ends coach Terry Malone, a Holy Cross graduate who left his alma mater as an assistant coach to come to Bowling Green.

Returning from last year's staff are wide receiver and quarterback coach Mark Miller, offensive backfield coach Reggie Oliver, and secondary skipper Jon Hoke.



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Tom Addie
DT 6-3 250 So.
Akron, OH (Hoban)

Red-shirted last year as a freshman...Enters the season as the third team defensive tackle...**Personal:** Highly sought after prep player...Special mention, class AA all-Ohio...First team all-city, all-Summit County, and first team all-Northeast Ohio...Born June 20, 1966...Played for Coach Clem Caraboolad...Son of Thomas and Betty Addie.



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Bob Adelsperger
OT 6-4 218 Sr.
Tiffin (Mohawk)

Enters the fall as a reserve center...Fourth-year member of the BGSU team...Has seen limited time thus far but is slated for more action in 1986...**Personal:** Honorable mention all-state at Mohawk...Born January 19, 1965...Son of Robert and Kathryn Adelsperger.



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Gerald Bayless
TE 6-4 235 Fifth year Senior
Dayton, OH (Belmont)

Possibly Bowling Green's top candidate for post-season honors this year...A smooth player with great speed and agility...The best pro draft prospect on the club according to the coaching staff...Has the potential to be a high draft choice...Three-year letterman...Has 41 catches for 460 yards and three touchdowns for his career...**1985:** Started all 11 games at tight end in his first season as the starter...Finished third on the team in receiving with 37 catches for 425 yards...Finished ninth in the conference in receiving...Had six catches for 89 yards and one TD vs. Kentucky...Made seven catches for 72 yards and another score vs. Akron...Has great hands and speed and is a skilled blocker...Longest gainer of the year was a 47-yarder vs. Toledo...Touchdown catches were for 20-yards vs. Kent State, 17-yards vs. Kentucky, and two yards vs. Akron...Made a clutch 15-yard catch on a fourth-and-eight situation vs. Kentucky on Bowling Green's game winning drive...Caught three passes for 31 yards in California Bowl V...**1984:** Spent the season backing-up tight end Mark Dowdell who earned all-America honors...Caught four passes for 35 yards...**Personal:** Younger brother of former BG defensive back Martin Bayless, now with the Buffalo Bills...Honorable mention all-Ohio pick at Dayton Belmont HS...Played for Coach Tom Lurz...Born July 5, 1964...Son of Charles and Stella Bayless.



53

Scott Beckley
LS 6-2 190 So.
Bellevue, OH

1985: Long snapper...Did an excellent job in providing snaps for punts, extra points and field goals...Was perfect on 61 punts, 40 PAT's, and 12 field goals...Spends practice time concentrating solely on snapping the ball to BG's kickers...Played at Bellevue High School in Bellevue, Ohio.



30

Keith Best
DB 5-10 183 Sr.
Upper Sandusky, OH

Has seen limited action thus far in his career...Enters the fall campaign as third team strong safety.



64

Dave Bittner
OG 6-0 255 Fifth Year Senior
Akron, OH (St. Vincent-St. Mary)

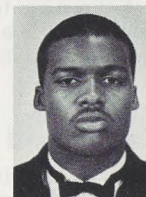
Three-year letterman...Should be the starting left guard for the coming season...Two-year starter...Considered by the coaching staff to be one of the best offensive linemen in the conference...Has the ability to be even better than he has been...Teams with Mike Estep to give BGSU one of the best guard tandems in the conference...**1985:** Bowling Green's starting left guard in 10 of 11 games, missing the opener vs. Ball State with an injury...Earned second team all-MAC honors last fall...**1984:** Started all 11 games during the 1984 season...Played in California Bowl II on the specialty teams...**1983:** Suffered a knee injury as a freshman and was red shirted in 1983...**Personal:** Bench presses over 400 pounds...Was team MVP at Akron St. Vincent-St. Mary in leading the team to the state championship as a senior...Played for HS Coach John Cistone...Born July 13, 1963...Son of Ted and Marie Bittner.



14

Mark Bongers
WR 6-0 178 Jr.
Westlake, OH

Has not played through his first two seasons in the BG program...Enters the season as the number two wide receiver but he will see plenty of action...Came to BG as a defensive back and punter...Switched to wide receiver last year...**Personal:** Attended Westlake HS where he played for Coach Vern Long...Averaged better than 41 yards per kick as a HS senior...Born March 3, 1966...Son of Carol Ann Bongers.



39

Dean Bryson
DB 5-11 199 Sr.
Dayton, OH (Colonel White)

Projected starter at strong safety in 1986...Will be his third season as a starter...Three-year letterman...Bowling Green's most consistent defensive back...One of the best tacklers on the team...Leader of the secondary...**1985:** Starter at strong safety...Had a pair of tackles for loss vs. Ball State and Central Michigan...Starter in all 11 games...Recorded 68 tackles, good for 11th on the team...Had five tackles behind the line of scrimmage for a loss of 20 yards including one pass sack...Also recorded a sack against Fresno State in the Cal Bowl...**1984:** Started all 11 games...Had three interceptions for 49 yards and one touchdown...Two of those interceptions came against Miami...Returned an interception 34 yards for a TD against Western Michigan to break open a close game...Finished 10th on the team in tackles with 58...**Personal:** Lettered four years at Dayton Colonel White HS in both football and track...Dayton's linebacker of the year as a senior...Played HS football for Coach Mike Connery...Born February 28, 1965...Son of Herbert and Delores Bryson.

Player Profiles



63

Derrick Carr
DT 6-5 222 So.
Detroit, MI (MacKenzie)

Enters the season as the number two defensive tackle behind Phil Walker...Suffered a knee injury last fall and was red-shirted...Has above average speed...Improved a great deal during spring...Has size and strength and showed signs of being a good pass rusher...High school teammate of current Falcons Greg Johnson and Reggie Thornton.



5

Pat Clarksean
QB 6-1 190 So.
Bakersfield, CA (Highland)

Promising quarterback who was redshirted last season...Was expected to compete with Eric Smith and Jeff Sandru for the starting position until he suffered a knee injury during spring practice...Unknown whether he will be able to play during the 1986 campaign...**Personal:** One of the top prep quarterbacks in California when he signed with the Falcons...Threw for 2,422 yards as a HS senior by completing 157 of 321 passes...Team MVP and first team all-league...Owns all of his HS's passing records...Son of Junior and Jeannette Clarksean...Born June 3, 1967.



48

Jack Coppess
DG 6-2 240 Sr.
Groveport, OH (Madison)

Emerges from spring drills as the starting defensive guard...Had a fine spring...Showed as much improvement during the spring as any other player on the team...Has great quickness...A good pass rusher...**1985:** Earned his first letter while backing-up nose tackle Mike Foor...A valuable special teams player...Recorded 23 tackles with 18 solos and 5 assists...**Personal:** Played at Madison HS for Coach Bob Miller where he was second team all-state and team MVP...Son of Jack and Mary Coppess...Born September 17, 1964.



34

Shawn Daniels
FB 5-11 210 Jr.
Montreal, Quebec (Snow Jr. College)

Will push for playing time at fullback along with Mike Otten...Enters the fall listed as the back-up to Otten but is slated for plenty of playing time...Joins the Falcon program as a highly rated junior college player...Played at Snow Junior College in Ephraim, Utah...Played for Coach Walt Criner...Native of Montreal, Quebec.



8

Jeff Davis
TB 5-11 200 Sr.
Flint, MI (Southwestern)

Projected as the starting tailback after spring practice...Spent the last two seasons backing up record setter Bernard White...Owns a career average of 6.8 yards per carry with 300 yards on 44 carries...Needs to improve on his ballhandling but has the potential to be an outstanding rusher...**1985:** Earned his second letter as a reserve tailback...Saw limited action until the last regular season game of the year at Ohio...Carried eight times for 88 yards including a 67-yard TD jaunt that iced the 38-17 victory...Carried seven times for 78 yards vs. Fresno State in the California Bowl...Led all BG rushers in that contest...Scored the Falcons' only touchdown in the contest with an 18-yard romp in the fourth quarter...**1984:** Holds the BGSU record for the longest run from scrimmage that did not result in a touchdown...Broke a 64-yarder vs. Richmond in the 1984 opener before being pulled down at the three-yard line...Obviously has a knack for the long gainer...Carried 36 times for 197 yards in '84 to finish second on the club...Missed parts of two games with a knee injury...**Personal:** Played at Flint, Michigan Southwestern HS...Son of Henry and Mary Davis...Born November 30, 1963.



38

Charles Edgerton
TB 5-10 218 So.
Columbus, OH (Northland)

Walk-on who earned a spot on the roster last fall...Reserve tailback entering the fall...Built low to the ground and runs hard...Played at Columbus' Northland High School.



55

Mike Estep
OG 6-4 265 Fifth-year Sr.
Newark, OH

Projected as BGSU's starting right guard again in 1986...Three-year letterman...Improved on his run blocking during the spring...Has great size and ability...Has an outstanding attitude and should repeat as an all-conference player in 1986...**1985:** BG's starter at right guard all season...Unanimous first team all-MAC selection last year...AP honorable mention all-America selection...Had been a part-time starter prior to the 1985 campaign...Started the final three games of the '83 and '84 seasons before earning a full-time position during spring drills...**1983:** Defensive tackle as a freshman...**Personal:** Won all-state honors as both a defensive end and offensive guard at Newark Senior High School...Played HS football for Coach Bill Biggers...Born December 29, 1963...Son of Alonzo and Jacqueline Estep.



41

Joe Foley
DE 6-1 204 Sr.
Gahanna, OH (Lincoln)

Enters the season as the back-up defensive end to John Hunter... Two-year letterman... Good strength... A player who rarely makes mistakes... **1985:** Back-up at defensive end to John Hunter... Hard hitting player... Also a valuable special teams member... Had three quarterback sacks vs. Ball State, a season high for the Falcon defense... Recorded 17 tackles on the season and recovered one fumble... Saw spot duty at fullback as a freshman but moved to defense in 1984... Plays on the kickoff team where he has fielded several short kicks over the last two years... Had one kickoff return for 10 yards last season... Returned five kickoffs in 1984 for an average of 14.2 yards... **Personal:** Three-year letterman in football and baseball at Lincoln HS... Rushed for 1,098 yards and 23 touchdowns as a senior and 2,800 yards in his career... Named HS team MVP and outstanding back... Earned all-league, all-district and second team all-state honors in HS... Played for Coach Phil Koppel... Born November 17, 1964... son of James and Barbara Foley.



60

Eric Helgesen
C 6-3 245 Sr.
Oceanside, CA (El Camino)

Returns for his second season as BGSU's starting center... Earned his first letter last season... A very steady player typical of most offensive linemen who won't be missed until he's gone... **1985:** California product who was a starter in all 11 games for the Falcons after transferring from Palomar Junior College... Earned second team all-MAC honors last year... Native of Oceanside, California where he attended El Camino High School... In over 700 snaps from center, there was just one mishandled ball last season... Fine pass blocker... Two-time all-league lineman at Palomar... **1984:** Two-year starter at Palomar CC where he twice earned all-league honors... Played for Coach Tom Kraft at Palomar... Chosen Palomar's lineman of the year... Earned letters in football, track and wrestling at El Camino High School in Oceanside, CA... **Personal:** Criminal Justice major... Enjoys weight lifting... Played for Coach Herb Meyer at El Camino... Born October 9, 1965... Son of Duane and Marcelle Helgesen.



32

Lesley Harris
DB 5-10 173 Jr.
Flint, MI (Beecher)

Hard hitting defensive back... The best all-around athlete in the secondary... Tough, aggressive player who plays the run and the pass equally well... A "big-play" type of defender... Projected as the starter at weak cornerback... **1985:** Had two interceptions last season, those coming against Western Michigan and Ohio... The only Falcon to earn a starting spot during the season... Displaced Ray Redd at weak cornerback midway through the season... Had 79 tackles including 37 solos and 42 assists to finish ninth on the team... Also recorded a pair of pass break-ups... **1984:** Backed up Melvin Marshall at cornerback as a freshman... Recorded 28 tackles... Intercepted a pass vs. Ball State and returned it three yards... Also used as a punt returner as he returned two kicks for an average of 7.5 yards each... **Personal:** Lettered in football at Beecher HS and earned all-conference honors... Started at tailback and rushed for more than 700 yards in just seven games... Played for Coach Tyrone Armstrong... Son of Tyleesie Harris.



27

Rick Howard
DB 6-0 180 Sr.
Canton, OH (South)

Listed as the number two strong safety entering the fall... Two-year letterman... Has been a steady special teams performer throughout his career... **1985:** Back-up strong safety to Dean Bryson... Good speed makes him a fine special teams player... Key play of the year was his recovery of an onside kick vs. Miami in which the Falcons scored twice in the last 90 seconds of the game... His fumble recovery set up the Falcons' winning touchdown... Recorded 14 tackles, most coming on the special teams... **1984:** Recorded 14 tackles while seeing spot duty in the secondary... Red-shirted as a freshman... **Personal:** Won three varsity football and track letters at Canton South High School... Was a league all-star for two years in a row and was first team all-county, honorable mention all-Northeast Ohio and team MVP as a senior... Played for Coach Elmer Schuetz... Born March 9, 1965... Son of Robert and Bobbie Howard.



82

Ronald Heard
FL 5-10 170 So.
Detroit, MI (Cody)

Red-shirted last year as a freshman... Neck and neck at flanker for the starting job with Reggie Thornton... Had a good spring... A real speedster... **Personal:** Named all-city and team MVP at Cody... Holds his HS's long jump record... Scored five TD's in a game once... Son of Jessee and Patricia Heard... Born August 20, 1967.



86

John Hunter
DE 6-3 210 Sr.
Detroit, MI (DePorres)

Will start at outside linebacker/defensive end in 1986... Two-year letterman... A big play type player... Has good quickness and also anticipates the play well... Always around the ball... **1985:** Started all 11 games at defensive end... Has good quickness and a nose for the sack... Led the team in pass sacks with eight for a loss of 45 yards... Finished sixth on the defense in tackles with 41 solos and 48 assists for a total of 89... Had 12 tackles for a loss of 53 yards and two pass break-ups... Top performance was a 12 tackle effort vs. Akron... **1984:** Broke into the starting line-up and did a fine job... Played spectacularly against Toledo, recording nine tackles and three sacks for a loss of 27 yards... Finished the year with 67 tackles and nine tackles for a loss of 49 yards... Recovered a fumble vs. Western Michigan... **1983:** As a red-shirt frosh he received votes for MAC Freshman of the Year... Red-shirted as a freshman... **Personal:** Played defensive back at Detroit DePorres HS... Helped DePorres to back-to-back Michigan state titles... Won all-Catholic and all-league honors in 1982, taking part in 130 tackles... Played for Coach Ron Thompson... Born July 18, 1965... Son of Frank and Necola Hunter.

Player Profiles



4

Michael Jackson
DB 6-4 200 Jr.
Detroit, MI (Murray Wright)

Has worked his way to being the back-up free safety entering the fall...Had a great spring...Became a hard hitting, physical player and improved his tackling skills...**Personal:** Was a high school quarterback at Murray Wright, playing for Coach Earl Moore...Honorable mention all-city QB while throwing for over 1,000 yards...Son of Junetta Jackson...Born October 5, 1966.



49

Erik Johnson
LB 6-2 235 Sr.
Warren, OH (Harding)

Expected to start at inside linebacker again in '86...Two-year letterman...Had an outstanding spring though he missed the last 10 days with an injury...BGSU's best overall linebacker...**1985:** Hard-hitting linebacker who was among the MAC leaders in tackles last season...Finished second on the team with 142 tackles including 51 solos and 91 assists...Finished eighth in the league in tackles with an average of 12.9 per game...Had four pass-break-ups and a pair of interceptions...Both of his interceptions set up Falcon touchdowns...Had a seven-yard return of a theft vs. Akron, and an 11-yard return vs. Ohio...Performed extremely well last year even though he played through a couple of nagging injuries...**1984:** Broke into the starting line-up when Chris Hartman was injured vs. Eastern Michigan...Finished fifth on the team in tackles with 86...Had a team high 21 tackles vs. Toledo...Intercepted a pass and returned it 11 yards vs. Northern Illinois...**Personal:** Second team, all-state pick at Harding HS as a senior...Also named the team's MVP...Lettered in three sports, including football where he won letters twice...Played for Coach Frank Thomas...Born August 22, 1965...Son of Otis and Ivy Johnson...Nickname is "Juice".



13

Greg A. Johnson
P 6-2 185 Sr.
Cincinnati, OH (Moeller)

Left-footed kicker who should be BG's starter for the third straight season...Two-year letterwinner...Also holds on all placements...**1985:** Averaged 40.8 yards on 60 punts last season...First team all-league punter...AP honorable mention all-America punter...Has a career punting average of 40.6 yards...Of his 60 punts last season, 19 settled inside the 20 including 13 inside the 10...Only five were into the end zone for a touchback...Has never had a punt fully blocked...Has had one partial block in each of the last two seasons...Finished fourth in the league in punting while the Falcons finished third in net punting with a 36.4 average...Had a long punt of 68 yards in '85...**1984:** Earned second team all-conference honors...Booted a career long punt of 78-yards at Oklahoma State in '84...Walk-on who has proven to be one of the top punters in the MAC...Averaged 40.3 yards on 57 punts...Transferred to Bowling Green from Austin Peay...**Personal:** Played one year with the Falcon baseball team and hit .294 as an outfielder and posted a 1-2 record with one save and a 4.30 ERA as a hurler...Does not usually use the A. initial but it is required to differentiate him from nose tackle Greg Johnson who does not have a middle initial...Kicked at Cincinnati Moeller High School...Son of Ron and Bonnie Johnson.



92

Greg Johnson
DT 5-11 235 Sr.
Detroit, MI (MacKenzie)

Projected as the starting nose tackle this season...Two-year letterwinner...Had a great spring...Called "the most unselfish player I've ever been around" by offensive line coach Bob Reublin...A team player who does everything that is asked of him...Best aspect is defending the run...Should be a dominating player...**1985:** Back-up defensive lineman to tackle Vince Villanucci...Also a top special teams player...Finished 13th on the club in tackles with 12 solos and 25 assists for a total of 37...**1984:** Saw a great deal of action at both nose and defensive tackle...Had one pass interception that came against Ohio and he returned it for three yards...Had 42 tackles...**Personal:** A very talented young artist who is often called upon for sketches and designs...Nickname is "Dirt"...Earned all-city honors at Detroit's MacKenzie HS while playing for Coach Bob Dozier...Born August 23, 1965...Son of Elias and Rosa Johnson.



72

Mike Joyce
OT 6-4 267 Sr.
Wheaton, IL

Should contribute at offensive tackle this year after redshirting last year...Transfer from the College of Dupage...Played for Coach Bob McDougall and helped the club to an 8-2 record in 1984...His father is a former baseball player at the University of Michigan.



94

David Kinzie
NT 6-4 235 So.
Toronto, Ontario (Lorne Park)

Red-shirted as a freshman, Kinzie enters the fall as the number two nose tackle...Ended spring practice on a real strong note...Has excellent size and movement...Will be an excellent back-up if he can pick up where he left off in the spring...**Personal:** One of the top Ontario prospects coming out of high school...Named to the Peel County All-star team in 1984...Son of Peter and Glenda Kinzie...Father is a graduate of the Air Force Academy and is an airline pilot...Played for Coach Bill Rowland at Lorne Park...Born May 15, 1965.



21

Kyle Kramer
DB 6-3 170 So.
Dayton, OH (Fairmont)

Sophomore defensive back who should start at free safety this year...Earned his first letter last year as a freshman...Had a fine spring practice...Possesses good speed and fine tackling ability...Smart player who reads the quarterback well...**1985:** One of a handful of "true" freshmen to see a considerable amount of playing time last season...Utilized mostly on the special teams but also as a back-up to Sean Dykes at free safety...Has good size at 6-3, 170...Recorded 12 tackles on the season and one pass break-up, that coming against Ohio in the last regular season game...**Personal:** Named all-Western Ohio League at defensive back as a senior...Team's outstanding defensive player...Most valuable player at Kettering Fairmont...Also a fine trackman who holds his HS record for the 300 meter hurdles...Played for Coach Doug Schmidt...Born January 12, 1967 in Kansas City, Missouri...Son of Thomas and Sueleal Kramer...Pre-med major.



58

Larry Lambright
LB 6-3 230 So.
Norton, OH

Projected as a back-up inside linebacker this fall...Made great strides during the spring...Has as much potential as any young linebacker on the team...Great player against the run but also had three spring scrimmage interceptions...Earned first team all-Suburban honors for two years while also being named all-summit County and all-district...Played for Coach Bob Schoonover...**Personal:** Son of Larry and Teresa Lambright...Born May 8, 1967.



98

Colby Latimer
LB 6-2 195 So.
Dayton, OH (Dunbar)

Enters the '86 campaign as a back-up weakside inside linebacker...Earned his first letter last season...Quickest of all BG linebackers...**1985:** A "true" freshman who contributed through his fine work on the specialty teams...A hard hitter who also had the opportunity to gain experience on the defensive unit...Played in all 11 games, recording 17 tackles including six solos and 11 assists...Had three tackles in the Kentucky and Western Michigan ballgames...**Personal:** Played at Dunbar HS where he captained the 1984 club...First team all-city, all-area and team tackle leader as a senior...Recorded 115 tackles...Played on five championship sports teams at Dunbar while lettering in football, track and basketball...Played for Coach Tom Montgomery...Born September 9, 1966...Son of James and Emma Latimer.



57

Eric Lundgren
DT 6-4 250 Jr.
Bloomington, MN (Jefferson)

Junior-college transfer who will battle for a spot on the defensive line...Attended the same high school as offensive tackle Mark Nelson...Led Normandale Community College to the Minnesota Junior College championship...Named all-conference and all-state at Bloomington Jefferson High School...All-conference, all-state and all-America selection at Normandale...Played for Coach Pat Waldner at Jefferson High School...Also attended the University of Wyoming for one year...Enjoys fishing and golf...Son of Roger and Delores Lundgren...Marketing major...Born March 26, 1965.



74

Neal Mahoney
OG 6-2 240 Sr.
Toledo, OH (St. John's)

Enters the fall season as the back-up left guard to Dave Bittner...Earned his first letter last season...A very intense player...A tough and aggressive player who finds himself backing up an all-league player...A real motivator...**1985:** Offensive lineman who backed up Stan Brue and Dave Bittner at guard...Special teams player...**Personal:** Son of Dr. Daniel and Judith Mahoney...Born December 4, 1964...Played at St. John's HS for Coach Fred Bier...Led the team to the 1981 Shoe Bowl Championship...Twice named first team all-city.



97

Bill McClure
OL 6-3 235 Jr.
Rootstown, OH

Enters the season as the back-up center...Might also see action at tackle...Playing his third position in three years...Started as a quarterback as a freshman and moved to tight end last year before moving to center during spring drills...Earned his first letter last season...**1985:** Tight end best known as the younger brother of quarterback Brian McClure...The last play of Bowling Green's regular season schedule saw Brian complete a 15-yard pass to Bill, the first time they had hooked up in college...Back-up tight end and special teams member...**Personal:** Son of Robert and Sue McClure...Born May 2, 1966...All-conference pick in both football and baseball at Rootstown HS.



16

Tony McCorvey
DB 5-11 160 Jr.
Toledo, OH (St. Francis)

Defensive back who lettered for the first time in '85...Projected as the back-up at strong cornerback in '86...Had his most productive spring in '86...Improved his tackling ability...Plays solid man-to-man coverage...**1985:** Back-up cornerback to Melvin Marshall...Recorded eight tackles last season...Had one interception, that coming against Kent State as he thwarted Kent's last drive of the day...Special teams member...**Personal:** Son of Lewis and Kay McCorvey...Born March 11, 1966...Played for Coach Dick Cromwell at St. Francis HS...Honorable mention all-city pick.



69

Bill McCreary
OG 6-2 260 Sr.
Wooster, OH

Ticketed for the number two right guard spot behind Mike Estep...Lettered in '85 for the first time...**1985:** Back-up right tackle to Mike Estep...Originally came to Bowling Green as a walk-on...Saw spot duty last season but spelled Estep in several crucial situations...**Personal:** Has a brother who plays football at Toledo...Son of John and Elaine McCreary...Born November 25, 1963...Played at Wooster HS where he lettered in football, basketball and track...Earned all-league honors in football for Coach Bob McFarland.



36

Mike McGee
TB 6-1 204 Jr.
Dayton, OH (Belmont)

One of a handful of tailbacks competing for playing time this fall...Had a fine showing towards the end of spring practice...**1985:** Red-shirted...**1984:** Carried 15 times for 57 yards to rank fourth on the team in rushing...Carried seven times for 34 yards against Western Michigan for his best outing...**Personal:** Dayton native who attended the same high school as tight end Gerald Bayless...Gained 750 yards as a HS senior at Belmont HS, playing for Coach Tom Lurz...Second team all-Dayton defensive back as a junior and first team all-city as tailback as a senior...Son of Edward McGee.

Player Profiles



80

Chris Neal

TE 6-6 215 Fifth-year Sr.
Grosse Pointe Woods, MI (North)

Projected as the back-up tight end to Gerald Bayless again in '86...Two-year letterman...A very solid player who had a fine spring...**1985:** Back-up tight end to Bayless...Caught one pass for ten yards...Used as a blocker in short yardage situations...Special teams member...**1984:** Back-up to all-America tight end Mark Dowdell...**Personal:** All-county and all-state honorable mention pick at Grosse Pointe North HS...Played for Coach Frank Summers...Earned five HS letters...Set school records for receptions in a season, career, and game...Son of Phyllis Neal...Born September 18, 1964.



77

Mark Nelson

OT 6-4 270 Sr.
Bloomington, MN (Jefferson)

Missed most of spring drills with mononucleosis...Was only able to practice the first week...Expected to regain his starting right tackle berth...Lettered last year in his first season as a Falcon...Outstanding pass protector...A very experienced player...**1985:** Junior college transfer from Normandale JC in Minnesota who was an outstanding performer on the offensive line...One of the top tackles in the league as he earned second team, all-MAC honors...**JUCO:** Came to BG after two years as a first team all-America offensive tackle at the JUCO level...Named first team JUCO all-American as a freshman...Transferred to Iowa State and was red-shirted in 1983...Returned to Normandale for his sophomore season where he was once again a first team all-America pick...Led Normandale to the "Like-Cola Bowl" in Cedar Falls, Iowa...Also earned California Grid Wire all-America honors...**Personal:** Cousin of Curt Knoff, a defensive back with the Minnesota Vikings...Lettered in football, track and basketball at Jefferson HS...Starting center on the 1982 Minnesota state championship basketball team...Son of Clayton and Ruth Nelson...Born June 22, 1964.



31

Mike Otten

FB 6-0 210 Sr.
Coldwater, OH

Has a shot at starting at fullback this season...Earned his first letter in '85...Has the best hands of any running back on the team...Intelligent player...Experience with the BG system gives him the edge at fullback heading into the fall...**1985:** Back-up fullback to George Schmelzle and Bill Kuhlman...Honorable mention all-MAC Academic team member...Has not carried the ball as a collegian...Has seen limited game action thus far...**Personal:** Younger brother of former Falcon tailback Chip Otten...One of the top students on the club with a 3.7 GPA in education...BGSU Athletic Department Scholar-Athlete...Son of Bernard and Patricia Otten...Mike is the seventh Otten to attend BGSU, following four sisters and two brothers...Earned all-league honors in football, baseball and basketball at Coldwater HS...Played for Coach Robert Sielski...Born January 27, 1965.



85

Tony Parker

DE 6-1 190 Sr.
Akron, OH (Garfield)

Slated to start at outside linebacker after earning a spot in spring practice...Had a fine spring...Undersized for an outside linebacker but plays the position well...Has good strength and speed...Anticipates well...**1985:** Saw action at strong end behind Chris Hartman and also used in passing situations...Had a pair of interceptions last season...His interception and 14-yard return vs. Western Michigan set up a Falcon touchdown...He intercepted a pass vs. Central Michigan that sealed BG's 23-18 win...Recorded 27 tackles on the season including one sack in the opener vs. Ball State...**1984:** Had off-season surgery prior to the '84 campaign to correct an injury that kept him out of the final five games...Best outing was a five tackle performance against Ohio...Totalled 11 tackles...**Personal:** Played for Coach Bill McGee at Garfield HS...Born February 7, 1965...Son of Loretta Parker.



33

Mark Polivka

LB 6-3 229 Sr.
Parma, OH (Normandy)

Emerged from spring drills with a back-up spot to Erik Johnson at strong side inside linebacker...A very steady player...Smart player with a nose for the ball...Earned his first letter last season...**1985:** Recorded 19 tackles last season in spelling Troy Dawson at weakside linebacker...Top performance was a six-tackle effort vs. Northern Illinois...Had three solo tackles vs. the Huskies...Missed the first couple of games of the season with a mild pre-season injury...**Personal:** Transfer from Wisconsin...Son of John and Lori Polivka...Born May 30, 1964...Earned all-Lake Erie League honors and played in the North-South All-Star game.



24

Ken Rankin

SE 5-11 150 So.
Columbus, OH (Beechcroft)

Projected as one of Bowling Green's top wide-out threats...Should start at split end...Two-year letterman...BG's most experienced wide receiver...**1985:** One of BG's quickest receivers...Caught eight passes for 163 yards last season, a 20.4 average...Also returns punts and kickoffs, averaging 5.3 yards per punt and 23 yards per kickoff...Named to the Apple Computer Academic All-America Team...Had one catch for 19 yards in Cal Bowl V...Longest kickoff return was a 37-yarder in Fresno...Caught a 64-yard TD pass from Brian McClure vs. Eastern Michigan, and added a 21-yard TD reception vs. Ohio...Owns career averages of 18.2 yards per catch, 5.2 yards per punt return, and 19.6 yards per kickoff return...His outstanding speed and slight build (5-11, 150) inspired the nickname of "A.C.", after Anthony Carter, possessor of similar talents and stature...Holds Bowling Green's track record in the long jump with a leap of 25' 7 1/4"...**1984:** Caught two passes while seeing limited action...Used primarily as a punt returner where he returned 21 punts for 114 yards, a 5.4 average...Ranked eighth in the MAC in punt returns...**Personal:** Born June 25, 1966...Son of Robert and Joenita Lynch.



3

Ray Redd
DB 5-10 183 Sr.
Dayton, OH (Wayne)

Two-year letterman who enters the season as the starter at strong cornerback...A very competent player...Plays man-to-man coverage well...A confident player with starting experience...**1985:** Defensive back who started the season as the starting weakside cornerback...Replaced by Lesley Harris as the starter but still played a great deal, especially in passing situations...Also a special teams member...Gained national publicity as he enticed all of the defensive backs on the Falcon team to shave their heads during pre-season drills last August...**1984:** Earned a starting spot at strong cornerback but was injured in the opening game against Richmond after making five tackles...Returned to action on a limited basis against Central Michigan in the eighth game of the season...**Personal:** Oldest member of the Falcon team at 26...Spent four years in the Army as a member of the 101st Airborne, stationed in Germany...Rose to the rank of sergeant, hence his nickname "Sarge"...Originally a walk-on who has become a valuable member of the Falcon team...Played football while in Germany and averaged 19 yards per catch as a wide receiver to win MVP honors...Averaged 21 yards per catch while playing at Dayton Wayne High School where he earned all-league honors...Born August 28, 1960.



42

Robert Rogers
LB 5-11 218 So.
Northfield, OH (Walsh Jesuit)

Listed as the number two weakside inside linebacker behind Paul Schweitzer...One of the most improved linebackers in camp...A walk-on who earned a scholarship...Does a lot of things well for a linebacker...**1985:** Originally a walk-on linebacker who saw a good deal of action last season...Backed up Troy Dawson and Mark Polivka at one inside...Recorded 13 tackles on the year...Had a season high of four vs. Western Michigan...



10

Jeff Sandru
QB 6-3 215 Jr.
Martins Ferry, OH

Will battle for the starting quarterback berth with Eric Smith this fall...Emergred from spring drills in a virtual deadlock...An overpowering quarterback...Has great size and strength and a "golden arm" according to QB mentor Mark Miller...Has not taken a snap in a game in two years...Has three seasons of eligibility remaining...Completed nine of 17 passes for 80 yards in the final spring scrimmage...Tossed a 20-yard TD to Reggie Thornton...**Personal:** All-state shot putter in HS with a toss of 54' 4"...Three-year letterman at Martins Ferry HS for Coach Dave Bruney...All-conference and all-district FB selection.



65

Ken Schriner
C 6-2 254 Jr.
Tiffin, OH (Calvert)

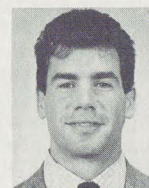
One of the best young linemen on the Falcon club...Earned his first letter last year...Projected as a back-up at both left tackle and center but the coaching staff won't be surprised if he earns a starting berth...Very capable of starting at several key positions...**1985:** Back-up center to Eric Helgesen...Younger brother of Dan Schriner, the starter at left tackle for BG for the first six games until a knee injury sidelined him...Saw limited action last year but is highly regarded as an up and coming offensive lineman...**Personal:** Son of Ronald and Mary Schriner...Played at Tiffin Calvert for Coach Roger Kirkhart...Led the club to the 1981 state championship...First team all-Ohio selection...Born March 10, 1966.



43

Paul Schweitzer
LB 6-2 206 Sr.
Phillipsburg, OH (Northmont)

One of the top returning linebackers...Three-year letterman...Earned a starting inside backer spot during spring drills...Will see action on the weak side...Missed the last two weeks of spring with a minor injury...Solid pass defender...**1985:** Inside linebacker who was an important member of the Falcon defensive corps...Finished seventh on the team with 87 tackles including 37 solos and 50 assists...Recorded three pass break-ups...The most important break-up of the season came against Miami when he thwarted a last play touchdown pass with a deflection at the three-yard line...Intercepted a fourth quarter pass against Central Michigan to halt a Chippewa drive...Also stopped an Ohio drive in the regular season finale with an interception...Nominated for MAC Defensive Player of the Week honors for his 14 tackle performance vs. Ohio...**1984:** Had a hand in 25 tackles, one QB sack, and a pair of pass break-ups...Returned a pair of kickoffs for 17 yards...**1983:** Had one interception as a freshman, that coming against Kent State...**Personal:** Earned all-league and all-area honors at Northmont HS...Played for Coach Ned Booker...Selected for the North-South HS All-star game...Son of Theodore and Evelyn Schweitzer...Born March 12, 1965.



1

Paul Silvi
PK 5-9 158 Sr.
Bloomfield Hills, MI (Lahser)

Paul is expected to be one of the top placekickers in the MAC again in 1986...Earned his first letter last season...**1985:** Had an outstanding first year after backing up Gehad Youssef for two seasons...Set school records for PAT attempts and PAT's made in a season with a 40-of-40 performance last season...Also successful on 10 of 12 field goals including nine in a row...Set a league record by kicking 40 straight PAT's last season...Finished second in the league in field goal accuracy with a mark of .833...Finished second on the team and fifth in the MAC in scoring with a 6.4 points per game average...His only two field goal misses occurred from 32 and 34 yards into a stiff wind at Doyt Perry Field...Connected on both attempts between 20-29 yards, was five of seven from 30-39 yards, and three of three on kicks of 40-49 yards...**1984:** Made one appearance as a sophomore, booting an extra point vs. Northern Illinois in a 28-6 BG win...**Personal:** Played one year of soccer at Oakland University in Detroit before coming to Bowling Green...Also an outstanding hockey goalie in the BGSU intramural league...Earned three letters in soccer and one each in hockey and football at Lahser...All-Michigan soccer player who scored 59 goals and 20 assists for his career...Played for Coach Bob Kefgen at Lahser...Son of John and Nancy Silvi...Born June 27, 1964.

Player Profiles



19

Eric Smith
QB 6-3 191 Jr.
Alma, MI

Will compete with Jeff Sandru for the starting QB spot this fall... Third-year player who is yet to play in a varsity game...Has all the "intangibles" that make up a good quarterback...Understands the offense, is a solid team leader, possesses an accurate arm and has good downfield vision...Does not have the arm strength of Jeff Sandru, but makes up for it with pinpoint accuracy...Completed 11 of 21 passes for 80 yards in the final spring scrimmage...BGSU Scholar-Athlete...**Personal:** Son of Gordon and Shirley Smith...Born February 21, 1966...Played for Coach Tom Deed at Alma HS...Earned all-league, county and area honors as a quarterback...An honorable mention, all-state selection.



2

Ray Southard
DB 5-9 190 So.
Masury, OH (Brookfield)

Will back-up at weakside cornerback...Red-shirted freshman who made a great deal of progress in the spring...Improved his tackling and needs to be more physical with opposing receivers...**Personal:** Won nine letters in football, basketball, baseball and track at Brookfield HS...Twice named first team all-county as a running back...Rushed 1,378 yards as a junior...Had a 203 yard game rushing while grabbing two interceptions on defense...Son of Raymond and Ida Southard...Born October 21, 1966.



20

Darryl Story
TB 5-11 171 Fifth year Sr.
Dayton, OH (Patterson)

Possibly the quickest of BG's running backs...Owns Bowling Green's school record for rushing yards in a game with a 225 yard effort vs. Ball State on November 2, 1983...**1985:** Used to spell Bernard White at tailback...Carried 45 times for 146 yards and two touchdowns...Both TD's came in a 48-7 win over Western Michigan as he rushed from 12 and seven yards out...Carried nine times for 41 yards in the California Bowl...Averaged 18 yards per kickoff return last season...Returned to the squad after missing the 1984 season for disciplinary reasons...**1983:** Became BG's starting tailback in '83 after injuries sidelined Andre Jackson...Story responded with 724 yards and six touchdowns...His 225-yard effort vs. Ball State included a 51-yard TD run...Also had a 52-yard score vs. Western Michigan...Named MAC Player of the Week for his performance vs. Ball State...A reserve defensive back as a freshman in 1982...**Personal:** Attended Patterson Co-Op in Dayton where he lettered three years in football for Coach Joe Russo and rushed for 1,100 yards as a senior...Born October 22, 1963...Son of Ernest and Rosalind Venable.



75

Greg Studrawa
OG 6-3 254 Sr.
Fostoria, OH (St. Wendelin)

Reserve lineman who will back-up on the offensive line this season...Non-letterman...Made great improvements during the spring...Improved pass blocking significantly...Will most likely back-up at left tackle...Played at Fostoria's St. Wendelin HS.



83

Reggie Thornton
FL 5-11 170 So.
Detroit, MI (MacKenzie)

Red-shirted as a freshman but is expected to see plenty of action this fall...Neck and neck with Ronald Heard for the flanker spot...**Personal:** First team all-city selection at Detroit MacKenzie HS...Nickname is "Dash"...Played football for Coach Bob Dozier...Son of Jimmie Thornton...Born September 26, 1967 in Greenville, Mississippi.



59

Phil Walker
DT 6-2 250 Sr.
Otisville, MI (Flint Powers)

Expected to return to his starting role at defensive tackle...Three-year letterman...Explosive off the line and very strong...Has good quickness for a man his size...**1985:** The Falcon starter at strongside defensive tackle in all 11 games of the '85 campaign...Finished 10th on the BG team with 71 tackles...Had 10 tackles behind the line of scrimmage for a loss of 31 yards...Also recorded a pair of pass sacks...A strong player who bounced back from shoulder surgery to have a fine season...**1984:** Injured his shoulder in the second game of the season against Oklahoma State...Played nose tackle after lettering as an offensive tackle as a freshman...**Personal:** Nickname is "Big Walk"...State weightlifting champion while at Flint Powers HS...Played for Coach Bill Tucker at Powers HS...Born May 5, 1965...Son of Harry and Harriette Walker.



76

Eric Williams
OT 6-5 271 Sr.
Columbus, OH (Briggs)

Maintained his starting berth at left tackle through spring practice...Earned his first varsity letter last fall...Made great strides in improving his pass protection...Very strong player...The fastest offensive lineman on the team...**1985:** Started the final three games of the regular season in place of the injured Dan Schriener...Also started in the California Bowl...**Personal:** Son of Harold and Janice Williams...Played for Coach Pete Diehl at Columbus Briggs...First team all-city pick in football and baseball...Honorable mention all-state...Born June 15, 1964.



93

Wayne Wright
DE 6-3 175 So.
Detroit, MI (LaSalle)

Slated to back-up Tony Parker at outside linebacker...Young player with potential to be outstanding...Red-shirted last season...Has good speed and quickness...Lacks experience and size...Will be solid in a back-up role...**Personal:** Led LaSalle to the Central Division Championship...Earned all-league honors in football and basketball...Fine track athlete who has high jumped 6'4"...Son of Walter Riley and Sharon Kay Wright...Born May 30, 1967.

Top Newcomers

Harold Arrowsmith **71** OT 6-3 250 Painesville (Lake Catholic)
Offensive lineman from Lake Catholic High School...Three-year letterman for Coach John Gibbons...Also lettered in wrestling...Named first team all-North Coast Conference...First team Lake County Telegraph All Star Team...New Herald All-Area AAA All-Star...Lake County Touchdown Club all-Star team... Second team all district Northeast Ohio (AP)...Honorable mention all-Ohio (AP)...Named Lake Catholic's Offensive Player of the Year...Son of Harold and Donna Arrowsmith...Born October 27, 1967...Business major.

Bob Brumer **90** DL 6-3 225 Grosse Pointe, MI (North)
Defensive tackle from Grosse Pointe North (Michigan) High School...Two-year letterman in football and also lettered in track...Led North to two Bicomity Championships...Named all Bicomity, Class A second team all-state (UPI & *Detroit News*), and second team all-Metro by the *Detroit News*...Recorded 70 tackles, 10 QB sacks, and 11 tackles for loss as a senior...Son of John and Nada Brumer...Born February 23, 1967...Enjoys coin collecting.

Duane Crenshaw **50** LB 6-2 222 Massillon (Washington)
Linebacker from Massillon Washington High School...Two year letterwinner at defensive tackle for Coach John Maronto...Named all-county, all-district, all-area, team defensive MVP, and conference defensive player of the season...Second team AAA all-state by *United Press International*...Had 24 solo tackles and 58 assists as a senior...Top game was a 17-tackle effort...Son of Richard and Shirley Crenshaw...Physical Therapy major...Born March 18, 1968.

Mark Cumberledge **73** OL 6-2 245 Lorain (Admiral King)
Offensive lineman from Lorain Admiral King...Two year letterwinner for coach William Provident...Led the team to the Buckeye Conference title...Named all-Buckeye League, all-county, and most valuable lineman in Lorain County... Selected second team all-state by *Associated Press* and honorable mention by UPI...Team captain...Recipient of the Vince Lombardi Award...Son of Mike and Carol Cumberledge...Nickname is "Gap"...Born August 17, 1968.

Rich Dackin **11** QB 6-2 190 Cairo, OH (Lima Bath)
Quarterback from Lima Bath High School...Played in the North-South All-Star game this summer...Completed 85 of 163 passes as a senior for 1,410 yards, 19 touchdowns, and 11 interceptions...Named first team Class AA All-Ohio by UPI...Second team all-Ohio by AP...Became a starter in the third game of his sophomore year and threw for 3,489 career yards and 34 touchdowns by completing 225 of 435 passes...Threw for five touchdowns in one game...Set 17 school records in football...Student Council president...Yearbook editor...Led Bath to the 1984 & 1985 Western Buckeye League championships...Northwest district Back of the Year as a senior...Son of Richard and Jeannine Dackin... Accounting major...Born June 13, 1968.

Charles Dotson **56** LB 6-0 178 Toledo (Waite)
First team all-city league linebacker at Toledo Waite.

Toy Eason **88** LB 6-4 205 Flint, MI (Beecher)
Outside linebacker from Flint Beecher High School...Lettered in football and track at Beecher...Played for Coach Tyrone Armstrong...Named All-Big Nine first team defense...Named second team all-state (class B) by UPI and first team by Associated Press and the *Detroit News*...Recorded 132 tackles as a senior...In a game against Flushing, he recorded 22 tackles including 10 solos...Son of Charlene Shelton...Will major in computer science...Born December 6, 1967.

Scott Henderson **LB 6-3 200 Zanesville**
Linebacker from Zanesville High School...Named to the all-district and all-regional teams as well as second team all-State (AAA) by UPI...Recorded an even 100 tackles for his senior season as Zanesville finished ninth in the state...Played for Coach Whit Parks...Son of John and Joyce Henderson... Plans to pursue a degree in business...Born January 19, 1968...Enjoys stamp collecting and water-skiing.

Michael Holmes **23** DB 6-0 178 Alliance
Wide receiver and defensive back from Alliance...Two-year football letterman for Coach Joel Cockley...Also a three-year letterman in track running hurdles...Helped Alliance to the state track championship in 1984...Named first team all-Federal League, and was an honorable mention all-district pick ...Selected for the All-Alliance Review team...Recorded 50 solo tackles and had 17 assists as a senior...Recorded 16 tackles against Perry...As a sophomore, he helped Alliance to a 10-0 record and the Federal League title... Son of Reggie Holmes, and James and Theo Shepherd...Born August 26, 1968...Sports management major.

John Hopkins **66** DL 6-4 230 Akron (Springfield)
Defensive tackle from Akron Springfield High School...Earned all-Metro Akron honors as a senior...Two-year letterman for Coach Mark Lukens...Recorded 27 solo tackles and 48 assists last season while recovering three fumbles and getting eight quarterback sacks...Had 20 tackles and two sacks in a game last season...Also participates in track, throwing the shot and discus... Springfield's all-time leading scorer and rebounder in intramural basketball... Born March 31, 1968...Business Administration major...Son of John Hopkins, Sr. and Loretta Hopkins.

Billy Horn **52** OL 6-6 225 Sandusky
Saw action as a tight end, punter, and center at Sandusky High School...Two-year letterman for Coach Larry Cook...Also lettered two years in tennis... Named Blocker of the Year, second team all Buckeye League tight end and punter...Caught 12 passes for 220 yards as a senior...Attended Buckeye Boys State and was an honor roll student...Would like to be a CPA...Accounting major...Son of Bill and Priscilla Horn...Born October 18, 1967.

Jim Howell **35** FB 6-2 201 Perrysburg
Tailback from Perrysburg High School...Three-year letterman for Coach Chuck Pratt...Also earned a pair of letters in basketball and track...Led Perrysburg to the Northern Lakes League title in 1984 with a 9-1 record, and last fall with a 10-0 mark...Twice named first team all-NLL...League MVP and Back of the Year in 1985...First team all-district selection...Went over the 1,000 yard rushing mark twice in his career including 1,400 yards as a senior...Gained 2,681 yards for his career...Scored four touchdowns in a game against Springfield as a junior...Gained 226 yards in one contest vs. Sylvania Northview... Picked up 229 yards on just 15 carries against Springfield last fall...Perrysburg's career rushing leader...President of his high school chapter of Fellowship of Christian Athletes...Born January 14, 1968...Son of James and Laura Howell.

John Masters **TE 6-6 240 Upper Arlington**
Outstanding basketball and football prospect from Upper Arlington...Earned three letters in basketball and two in football...Named all-league, all-district, all-Metro and honorable mention all-state...Son of William and Nancy Masters...Born March 26, 1968.

Top Newcomers

Tony Lynch **96** DL 6-3 245 Youngstown (Rayen)
Defensive tackle from The Rayen School in Youngstown...Played for Coach John Turco...Led the team to the city series and the regional championships...Named MVP, all-city, all-state, and all-Northeast Ohio...Received the Mike Deniro Defensive MVP Award...Helped Rayen to an 11-2 record last fall...Son of Tamara D. Lynch...Born April 16, 1967.

Keith Pace LB 6-2 190 Sandusky
Linebacker/center from Sandusky High School...Teammate of Billy Horn... Two-year letterwinner for Coach Larry Cook...Served as team captain... Special mention all-Ohio, first team all-Buckeye Conference linebacker, team MVP...First team all-Northwest Ohio...Honor roll student...Son of John and Rebecca Pace...Born January 22, 1968...Business Administration major.

Greg Sharp **22** WR 5-10 170 Beloit (West Branch)
Split end prospect from Beloit, Ohio...Three year letterman in football... Earned two letters in basketball and four in track...Led West Branch High to back-to-back 9-1 seasons as a junior and senior...Played for Coach Jim Laut... Three-time all-state selection...Also named all-area and all-Northeast Ohio three years...Two-time team MVP...Had 33 catches for 602 yards as a senior... Caught 106 passes in his career for 2,216 yards and 19 touchdowns...In his best performance, Greg caught nine passes for 225 yards and three touchdowns and added a field goal and four extra points...Caught a game-winning fourth quarter touchdown pass on a fourth and 13 situation through double coverage...Set school records for career receptions, receiving yards, and touchdowns...Also set season records in the same categories...Member of the National Honor Society and attended Buckeye Boys State...Education major...Born March 2, 1968...Son of Phil and Glenda Sharp.

Allen Smith **17** DB 5-9 162 Toledo (DeVilbiss)
Defensive back and kick return specialist from Toledo DeVilbiss High School...Helped lead DeVilbiss to the Red Division championship last fall...Twice named first team all-city and all-district...Second team all-state selection (AP) last fall...Had eight interceptions last fall, taking one back for a touchdown...For his career, he intercepted 20 passes, returning three for touchdowns...Three-year letterman in football, basketball and baseball... Played football for Coach Jim August...Holds the DeVilbiss school record for career interceptions...Class president and member of the student government at DeVilbiss...Father, Allen Smith, played with the New York Jets in 1966... Will major in business administration/economics...Nickname is "Speedy"... Son of Allen and Loraine Smith...Born July 18, 1968.

Andre Smith **26** TB 5-10 185 Cleveland (St. Joseph)
Tailback from Cleveland St. Joseph High School...Lettered for Coach William Gutbrod...Led St. Joe's to the regional title...Received honorable mention all-Ohio, first team all-area, and Plain Dealer Player of the Week...St. Joe's Offensive Back of the Year...Rushed for 1,150 yards out of the wishbone offense... Averaged 32.5 yards per kickoff return and scored 12 touchdowns...Rushed for 200 yards against Euclid on 24 carries and returned the opening kickoff for 91 yards and a touchdown...Trackman who ran the 200 meters and the 400 meter relay...Son of Irvin and Diane White...Born December 7, 1967...Communications major.

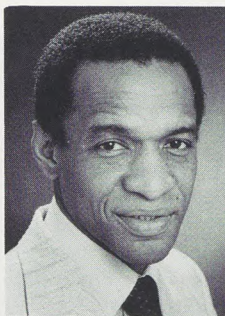
Richard Tracy **15** QB 6-3 190 Bowling Green
Three-year letterman at Bowling Green High School...Lettered three years each in football, basketball and baseball...Two-time first team all-Northern Lakes League quarterback...Played in the North-South all-star game last summer...Twice named special mention all-Ohio and two-time team MVP... Three-years all-league in baseball as a pitcher...Led the Bobcats to one football league title and a pair of baseball championships...Completed 181 of 300 passes for 2,072 yards and 20 TD's as a senior...For his career, he completed 345 of 591 passes for 4,265 yards, 45 touchdowns, and 34 interceptions... Holds 18 school football records...Also holds a handful of school pitching records...Played in the state all-star baseball game in Columbus...Played football for coach Morley Fraser and baseball for Mike Lanseer...Son of Marion and Dorothy Tracy...Born May 17, 1968...Education major.

Rozell Winters **25** RB 5-10 190 Cincinnati (Forest Park)
Tailback from Cincinnati's Forest Park High School...Three-year letterman and team captain in football...Also lettered in track and basketball...Earned all-league honors as he rushed for over 700 yards last fall and bettered the 2,000 yard mark for his career...Played for Coach Louis Cynkar...Gained a career high 202 yards on 13 carries and scored a pair of touchdowns against Northwest HS...Member of his high school's record setting 440 meter relay team (42.0)...Son of Bob and Mary Strickland...Plans to pursue a degree in business administration...Born December 12, 1967.

Ohio University

September 6, 1:30 P.M.
Doyt Perry Field

Location: Athens, Ohio
Stadium: Peden Stadium (20,000)
Press Box Phone: (614) 594-5775
Colors: Kelly Green & White
Nickname: Bobcats
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Harold McElhaney
Head Coach: Cleve Bryant
Record at Ohio University: 2-9 (1 year)
Sports Info. Director: Glenn Coble
Office Phone: (614) 593-1298
Home Phone: (614) 592-1476
1985 Overall Record: 2-9
1985 MAC Record: 2-7 (10th)
Lettermen Returning: 33
Lettermen Lost: 22
Starters Returning: 6 on offense,
6 on defense
Offensive Formation: Multiple
Defensive Formation: Multiple
Series Record: 20-17-1 (BG)
Top Returning Rusher: Jesse Owens: 209-709-3
Top Returning Passer: Bruce Porter



1985 Results (2-9)

7 Marshall	31
13 Duke	34
7 Central Michigan	13
22 Miami	29
23 Ball State	36
21 Eastern Michigan	27
10 Toledo	24
33 Kent State	23
21 Western Michigan	15
7 Northern Illinois	35
17 Bowling Green	38

Minnesota

September 13, 7:00 (CDT)
Metrodome

Location: Minneapolis, Minnesota
Stadium: Metrodome (62,218)
Press Box Phone: (612) 627-4400
Colors: Maroon & Gold
Nickname: Golden Golpers
Conference: Big Ten
Athletic Director: Paul Giel
Head Coach: John Gutekunst
Record at Minnesota: First year
Sports Info. Director: Bob Peterson
Office Phone: (612) 625-4090
Home Phone: (612) 757-1538
1985 Overall Record: 7-5
1985 Big Ten Record: 4-4
Lettermen Returning: 42
Lettermen Lost: 17
Starters Returning: 8 on offense,
10 on defense
Offensive Formation: Option 1
Defensive Formation: Multiple 50
Series Record: First Meeting
Top Returning Rusher: Rickey Foggie: 127-451-9
Top Returning Passer: Rickey Foggie: 65-141-1370



1985 Results (7-5)

28 Wichita State	14
62 Montana Univ.	17
7 Oklahoma	13
45 Purdue	15
21 Northwestern	10
22 Indiana	7
19 Ohio State	23
26 Michigan State	31
27 Wisconsin	18
7 Michigan	48
9 Iowa	31
20 Clemson*	13

*Independence Bowl

Central Michigan

September 20, 1:00 P.M.
Kelly/Shorts Stadium

Location: Mt. Pleasant, Michigan
Stadium: Kelly/Shorts Stadium (20,086)
Press Box Phone: (517) 774-3579
Colors: Maroon & Gold
Nickname: Chippewas
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Dave Keilitz
Head Coach: Herb Deromedi
Record at Central Michigan: 64-20-3 (8 years)
Sports Info. Director: Fred Stabley, Jr.
Office Phone: (517) 774-3277
Home Phone: (517) 773-2591
1985 Overall Record: 7-3
1985 MAC Record: 6-3 (3rd)
Lettermen Returning: 43
Lettermen Lost: 16
Starters Returning: 9 on offense,
8 on defense
Offensive Formation: I Formation
Defensive Formation: 5-2
Series Record: 12-10 (BG)
Top Returning Rusher: Phil Hendrix: 70-352-2
Top Returning Passer: Ron Fillmore: 94-185-1191



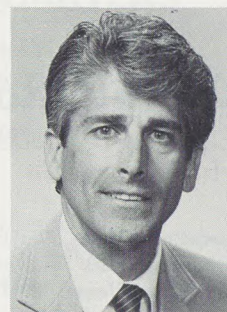
1985 Results (7-3)

27 Univ. of Pacific	10
13 Ohio University	7
21 Kent State	17
24 Western Michigan	17
18 Bowling Green	23
17 Eastern Michigan	10
14 Miami University	19
7 Toledo	10
23 Ball State	9
30 Northern Illinois	21

Miami

September 27, 1:30 P.M.
Fred C. Yager Stadium

Location: Oxford, Ohio
Stadium: Fred C. Yager Stadium (25,183)
Colors: Red & White
Nickname: Redskins
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Richard Shrider
Head Coach: Tim Rose
Record at Miami: 16-16-1 (3 years)
Sports Info. Director: Dave Young
Office Phone: (513) 529-4327
Home Phone: (513) 523-8709
1985 Overall Record: 8-2-1
1985 MAC Record: 7-1-1
Lettermen Returning: 39
Lettermen Lost: 9
Starters Returning: 9 on offense,
9 on defense
Offensive Formation: Power I
Defensive Formation: Oklahoma
Series Record: 28-12-3 (MU)
Top Returning Rusher: George Swann: 309-1511-12
Top Returning Passer: Terry Morris: 121-202-1471



1985 Results (8-2-1)

17 Ball State	13
24 Bowling Green	28
10 Oklahoma State	45
29 Ohio University	22
26 Toledo	14
10 Western Michigan	10
32 Northern Illinois	15
19 Central Michigan	14
52 Kent State	24
31 Eastern Michigan	16
16 Cincinnati	10

1986 Opponents

Western Michigan

October 4, 1:30 P.M.
Doyt Perry Field

Location: Kalamazoo, Michigan
Stadium: Waldo Stadium (25,000)
Press Box Phone: (616) 383-0947
Colors: Brown & Gold
Nickname: Broncos

Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Dr. Leland Byrd
Head Coach: Jack Harbaugh

Record at W. Michigan: 22-19-4 (4 years)

Sports Info. Director: John Beatty
Office Phone: (616) 383-0947

Home Phone: (616) 372-1651

1985 Overall Record: 4-6-1

1985 MAC Record: 4-4-1 (Tie-4th)

Lettermen Returning: 42

Lettermen Lost: 14

Starters Returning: 9 on offense,
6 on defense

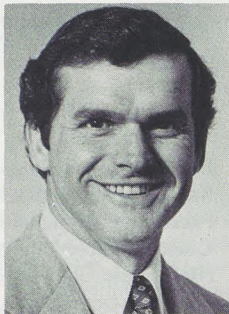
Offensive Formation: One or Two Back

Defensive Formation: 5-2

Series Record: 24-6-2 (BG)

Top Returning Rusher: Lewis Howard: 177-819-6

Top Returning Passer: Chris Conklin: 133-244-1,574



1985 Results (4-6-1)

0 Northern Illinois	17
6 Army	48
3 Michigan State	7
7 Bowling Green	48
17 Central Michigan	24
10 Miami	10
0 Ball State	34
13 Toledo	18
15 Ohio University	21
34 Kent State	3
38 Eastern Michigan	21

Eastern Michigan

October 11, 1:30 P.M.
Doyt Perry Field

Location: Ypsilanti, Michigan
Stadium: Rynearson Stadium (19,800)
Press Box Phone: (313) 487-4207
Colors: Dark Green & White
Nickname: Hurons

Conference: Mid-American (MAC)

Athletic Director: Eugene Smith

Head Coach: Jim Harkema

Record at E. Michigan: 7-24-2 (3 years)

Sports Info. Director: Jim Streeter

Office Phone: (313) 487-4400

Home Phone: (313) 485-3221

1985 Overall Record: 4-7

1985 MAC Record: 3-6 (Tie-6th)

Lettermen Returning: 34

Lettermen Lost: 14

Starters Returning: 10 on offense,
9 on defense

Offensive Formation: Pro-I

Defensive Formation: Split-Four

Series Record: 13-7-1 (BG)

Top Returning Rusher: Gary Patton: 142-631-5

Top Returning Passer: Ron Adams: 91-167-977



1985 Results (4-7)

27 Youngstown State	22
12 Akron	16
3 Kent State	28
21 Toledo	10
24 Bowling Green	42
27 Ohio University	21
10 Central Michigan	17
27 Ball State	24
0 Northern Illinois	3
16 Miami	31
21 Western Michigan	38

Washington

October 18, 1:00 P.M. (PDT)
Husky Stadium

Location: Seattle, Washington
Stadium: Husky Stadium (59,800)
Press Box Phone: (206) 543-2230
Colors: Purple & Gold
Nickname: Huskies

Conference: Pacific-10

Athletic Director: Mike Lude

Head Coach: Don James

Record at Washington: 93-36 (11 years)

Sports Info. Director: Chuck Niemi

Office Phone: (206) 543-6441

Home Phone: (206) 823-8050

1985 Overall Record: 7-5

1985 MAC Record: 5-3 (Tie-4th)

Lettermen Returning: 45

Lettermen Lost: 18

Starters Returning: 7 on offense,
5 on defense

Offensive Formation: "I"

Defensive Formation: 3-4

Series Record: First Meeting

Top Returning Rusher: Rick Fenney: 104-497-5

Top Returning Passer: Chris Chandler: 38-72-428



1985 Results (7-5)

17 Oklahoma State	31
3 Brigham Young	31
29 Houston	12
21 UCLA	14
19 Oregon	13
28 California	12
20 Oregon State	21
34 Stanford	0
7 Arizona State	36
20 USC	17
20 Washington State	21
20 Colorado	17

Kent State

October 25, 1:00 P.M.
Dix Stadium

Location: Kent, Ohio
Stadium: Dix Stadium (30,520)
Press Box Phone: (216) 672-2036
Colors: Navy Blue & Gold
Nickname: Golden Flashes

Conference: Mid-American (MAC)

Athletic Director: Paul Amodio

Head Coach: Glen Mason

Record at Kent State: First Year

Sports Info. Director: Terry Barnard

Office Phone: (216) 672-2110

Home Phone: (216) 626-2268

1985 Overall Record: 3-8

1985 MAC Record: 2-6 (9th)

Lettermen Returning: 32

Lettermen Lost: 20

Starters Returning: 5 on offense,
6 on defense

Offensive Formation: Multiple sets

Defensive Formation: Pro 4-3

Series Record: 36-12-6 (BG)

Top Returning Rusher: Eric Wilkerson: 131-594-8

Top Returning Passer: Steve Poth: 98-184-1221



1985 Results (3-8)

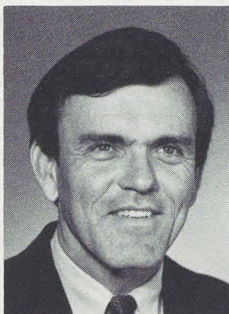
0 Akron	24
0 Syracuse	34
28 Eastern Michigan	3
17 Central Michigan	21
51 UTEP	24
45 Ball State	16
14 Bowling Green	26
23 Ohio University	33
24 Miami	52
3 Western Michigan	34
7 Toledo	10

Northern Illinois

November 1, 1:30 P.M.
Doyt Perry Field

Location: DeKalb, Illinois
Stadium: Huskie Stadium (30,998)
Press Box Phone: (815) 753-1706
Colors: Cardinal & Black
Nickname: Huskies

Conference: Major Independent
Athletic Director: Robert Brigham
Head Coach: Jerry Pettibone
Record at Northern Illinois: 4-7 (1 year)
Sports Info. Director: Mike Korcek
Office Phone: (815) 753-1706
Home Phone: (815) 758-1238
1985 Record: 4-7
Lettermen Returning: 41
Lettermen Lost: 11
Starters Returning: 9 on offense,
6 on defense
Offensive Formation: Wishbone
Defensive Formation: Fifty-two
Series Record: 7-2 (BG)
Top Returning Rusher: Marshall Taylor: 438 yards
Top Returning Passer: Marshall Taylor: 94-186-1,162



1985 Results (4-7)

17 Western Michigan	0
17 Wisconsin	38
20 Iowa	48
16 Northwestern	38
0 Ball State	29
16 Toledo	3
15 Miami	32
14 Bowling Green	34
3 Eastern Michigan	0
35 Ohio University	7
21 Central Michigan	30

Ball State

November 8, 1:30 P.M.
Doyt Perry Field

Location: Muncie, Indiana
Stadium: Ball State Stadium
Press Box Phone: (317) 285-5381
Colors: Cardinal & White
Nickname: Cardinals
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)

Athletic Director: Don Purvis
Head Coach: Paul Schudel
Record at Ball State: 4-7 (1 year)
Sports Info. Director: Earl Yestingsmeier
Office Phone: (317) 285-8242
Home Phone: (317) 282-4678
1985 Overall Record: 4-7
1985 MAC Record: 3-6 (Tie-6th)
Lettermen Returning: 35
Lettermen Lost: 12
Starters Returning: 10 on offense,
5 on defense
Offensive Formation: I
Defensive Formation: 52
Series Record: 9-3 (BG)
Top Returning Rusher: Carlton Campbell: 204-747-3
Top Returning Passer: Wade Kosakowski: 140-242-1614



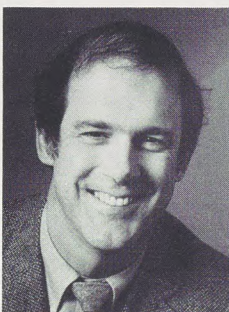
1985 Results (4-7)

6 Bowling Green	31
13 Miami	17
18 Purdue	37
23 Toledo	19
29 Northern Illinois	0
36 Ohio University	23
16 Kent State	45
0 Western Michigan	34
24 Eastern Michigan	27
29 Indiana State	27
9 Central Michigan	23

Toledo

November 15, 4:30 P.M.
Glass Bowl

Location: Toledo, Ohio
Stadium: Glass Bowl (18,500)
Press Box Phone: (419) 537-2027
Colors: Midnight Blue & Gold
Nickname: Rockets
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Vern Smith
Head Coach: Dan Simrell
Record at Toledo: 27-17-1 (4 years)
Sports Info. Director: Max Gerber
Office Phone: (419) 537-2082
Home Phone: (419) 885-4043
1985 Overall Record: 4-7
1985 MAC Record: 3-6 (Tie-6th)
Lettermen Returning: 34
Lettermen Lost: 16
Starters Returning: 7 on offense,
6 on defense
Offensive Formation: Multiple I
Defensive Formation: Offset 52
Series Record: 27-19-4 (BG)
Top Returning Rusher: Kelvin Farmer: 229-748-6
Top Returning Passer: A.J. Sager: 130-253-1335



1985 Results (4-7)

10 Arizona	23
22 Wichita State	15
19 Ball State	23
10 Eastern Michigan	21
14 Miami	26
3 Northern Illinois	16
24 Ohio University	10
13 Western Michigan	18
10 Central Michigan	7
0 Bowling Green	21
10 Kent State	7

FALCON ROAD HEADQUARTERS

Minnesota

Radisson Hotel Metrodome
1500 Washington Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55454
(612) 333-4646

Central Michigan

Holiday Inn
5665 East Pickard Road
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858
(517) 772-2905

Miami

Hueston Woods State Park Lodge
RFD # 1
College Corner, OH 45003
(513) 523-6381

Washington

Stouffer Madison Hotel
515 Madison Street
Seattle, WA 98104
(206) 583-0300

Kent State

Holiday Inn
State Route 43 & I-75
Kent, OH 44240
(216) 678-0101

Bowling Green State University

NO.	NAME	POS.	HGT.	WT.	CLASS	HOMETOWN (High School)
99	Tom Addie	DT	6-3	250	So.	Akron (Hoban)
51	Bob Adelsperger	OT	6-4	218	Sr.	Tiffin (Mohawk)
28	Deon Allen	RB	6-1	200	Fr.	Lima (Perry)
71	Harold Arrowsmith	OT	6-3	255	Fr.	Painesville (Lake Catholic)
87	Ron Austin	TE	6-3	200	So.	Southfield, MI
95	Gerald Bayless***	TE	6-4	235	5th	Dayton (Belmont)
53	Scott Beckley*	LS	6-2	190	So.	Bellevue
47	Anthony Bell	LB	5-9	196	So.	Detroit, MI (Central)
	Stanford Belue	WR	6-1	185	Fr.	Detroit, MI (Henry Ford)
30	Keith Best	DB	5-10	183	Sr.	Upper Sandusky
64	Dave Bittner***	OG	6-0	255	5th	Akron (St. Vincent-St. Mary)
14	Mark Bongers	WR	6-0	178	Jr.	Westlake
	Tom Bonham	WR	5-10	158	So.	Howell, NJ
9	Jerry Brocks	DB	5-9	170	So.	Detroit, MI (Cooley)
90	Rob Brumer	DL	6-3	225	Fr.	Grosse Pointe, MI (North)
39	Dean Bryson***	DB	5-11	199	Sr.	Dayton (Colonel White)
	Brian Campolong	FB	6-0	195	So.	Clearfield, PA
63	Derrick Carr	DL	6-5	222	So.	Detroit, MI (MacKenzie)
	Kevin Collins	TB	5-11	193	So.	Columbus (Beechcroft)
84	Howard Copeland	TE	6-3	235	So.	Piscataway, NJ
48	Jack Coppess*	DL	6-2	240	Sr.	Groveport (Madison)
50	Duane Crenshaw	LB	6-2	222	Fr.	Massillon (Washington)
73	Mark Cumberledge	OL	6-2	245	Fr.	Lorain (Admiral King)
11	Rich Dackin	QB	6-2	190	Fr.	Lima (Bath)
34	Shawn Daniels	FB	5-11	210	Jr.	Montreal, Quebec (Snow Jr. Coll.)
8	Jeff Davis**	TB	5-11	200	Sr.	Flint, MI (Southwestern)
56	Charles Dotson	LB	6-0	178	Fr.	Toledo (Waite)
88	Toy Eason	LB	6-4	205	Fr.	Flint, MI (Beecher)
38	Charles Edgerton	RB	5-10	218	So.	Columbus (Northland)
55	Mike Estep***	OG	6-4	265	5th	Newark
41	Joe Foley**	LB	6-1	204	Sr.	Gahanna (Lincoln)
91	Derrick Gant	TE	6-3	193	Jr.	Toledo (St. Francis)
	Greg Glassco	OL	5-10	240	So.	N. Olmsted (St. Edward's)
	Dave Graue	TE	6-4	210	So.	Bowling Green
78	David Haynes	DL	6-3	224	Jr.	Columbus (Eastmoor)
82	Ronald Heard	FL	5-10	170	So.	Detroit, MI (Cody)
60	Eric Helgesen*	C	6-3	245	Sr.	Oceanside, CA
	Scott Henderson	LB	6-3	200	Fr.	Zanesville
23	Mike Holmes	DB	6-0	178	Fr.	Alliance
66	John Hopkins	DL	6-4	230	Fr.	Akron (Springfield)
52	Billy Horn	OL	6-6	225	Fr.	Sandusky
27	Rick Howard**	DB	6-0	180	Sr.	Canton (South)
35	Jim Howell	RB	6-2	201	Fr.	Perrysburg
86	John Hunter**	DE	6-3	210	Sr.	Detroit, MI (DePorres)
4	Michael Jackson	DB	6-4	200	Jr.	Detroit, MI (Murray Wright)
49	Erik Johnson**	LB	6-2	235	Sr.	Warren (Harding)
13	Greg A. Johnson**	P	6-2	185	Sr.	Cincinnati (Moeller)
92	Greg Johnson**	DT	5-11	235	Sr.	Detroit, MI (MacKenzie)
72	Mike Joyce	OT	6-4	267	Sr.	Wheaton, IL
7	Rod King	DB	5-11	175	Sr.	Youngstown (South)
94	Dave Kinzie	DL	6-4	235	So.	Toronto, ONT (Lorne Park)
21	Kyle Kramer*	DB	6-3	170	So.	Dayton (Fairmont)
45	Dave Kriceri	RB	5-11	191	So.	Woodbury, MN
58	Larry Lambright	LB	6-3	230	So.	Norton
98	Colby Latimer*	LB	6-2	195	So.	Dayton (Dunbar)
96	Tony Lynch	DL	6-3	245	Fr.	Youngstown (Rayen)
57	Eric Lundgren	DT	6-4	250	Jr.	Bloomington, MN (Jefferson)
74	Neal Mahoney*	OL	6-2	240	Sr.	Toledo (St. John's)
	John Masters	TE	6-6	240	Fr.	Upper Arlington
97	Bill McClure	OL	6-3	235	Jr.	Ravenna (Rootstown)
16	Tony McCorvey*	DB	5-10	160	Jr.	Toledo (St. Francis)
67	Bill McCreary*	OL	6-2	260	Jr.	Wooster
36	Mike McGee*	TB	6-1	204	Jr.	Dayton (Belmont)

1986 Football Roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	HGT.	WT.	CLASS	HOMETOWN (High School)
80	Chris Neal**	TE	6-6	215	5th	Grosse Pointe Woods, MI (North)
77	Mark Nelson*	OL	6-4	270	Sr.	Bloomington, MN (Jefferson)
31	Mike Otten*	FB	6-0	210	Sr.	Coldwater
	Keith Pace	LB	6-2	190	Fr.	Sandusky
85	Tony Parker**	DE	6-1	190	Sr.	Akron (Garfield)
33	Mark Polivka*	LB	6-3	229	Sr.	Parma (Normandy)
	Tom Pope	DL	6-3	231	Jr.	Whitehouse (Anthony Wayne)
24	Ken Rankin**	WR	5-11	150	Jr.	Columbus (Beechcroft)
3	Ray Redd**	DB	5-10	183	Sr.	Dayton (Wayne)
42	Robert Rogers*	LB	5-11	210	Jr.	Northfield (Walsh Jesuit)
	John Rolwing	LB	6-1	202	Jr.	Reynoldsburg
10	Jeff Sandru	QB	6-3	215	Jr.	Martins Ferry
46	Dennis Schiets*	DE	6-2	203	Jr.	Oak Harbor
65	Ken Schriner*	OL	6-3	254	Jr.	Tiffin (Calvert)
43	Paul Schweitzer***	LB	6-2	206	Sr.	Phillipsburg (Northmont)
22	Greg Sharp	WR	5-10	170	Fr.	Beloit (West Branch)
1	Paul Silvi*	PK	5-9	158	Sr.	Bloomfield Hills, MI (Lahser)
17	Allen Smith	DB	5-9	162	Fr.	Toledo (DeVilbiss)
26	Andre Smith	TB	5-10	185	Fr.	Cleveland (St. Joseph)
19	Eric Smith	QB	6-3	191	Jr.	Alma, MI
2	Ray Southard	DB	5-9	190	So.	Masury (Brookfield)
62	Mark Sparger	OG	6-5	235	So.	Detroit, MI (Redford)
20	Darryl Story*	TB	5-11	171	5th	Dayton (Patterson)
75	Greg Studrawa	OG	6-3	254	Sr.	Fostoria (St. Wendelin)
83	Reggie Thornton	WR	5-11	170	So.	Detroit, MI (MacKenzie)
67	Ron Todd	OT	6-3	240	So.	Dayton (Belmont)
15	Rich Tracy	QB	6-3	190	Fr.	Bowling Green
37	Fred Turner	DB	5-10	170	Sr.	Dayton (Chaminade)
89	Andre Vaughn	DB	6-1	190	So.	Flint, MI (Southwestern)
40	Ron Viscounte	RB	5-11	205	So.	Uniontown (Lake)
59	Phil Walker***	DT	6-2	250	Sr.	Otisville, MI (Flint Powers)
70	Bill Whan	OT	6-5	235	So.	Birmingham, MI (Seaholm)
79	Calvin Whitfield	DL	6-4	215	So.	Detroit, MI (Chadsey)
76	Eric Williams*	OT	6-5	271	Sr.	Columbus (Briggs)
25	Rozell Winters	RB	5-10	190	Fr.	Cincinnati (Forest Park)
93	Wayne Wright	DE	6-3	175	So.	Detroit, MI (LaSalle)
6	Jason Zeller	PK	5-8	192	So.	Centerville
44	Shawn Zimmerman	LB	6-3	225	So.	North Canton (Hoover)

Numerical Roster

1 Paul Silvi* PK	26 Andre Smith TB	50 Duane Crenshaw . . LB	75 Greg Studrawa . . . OG	98 Colby Latimer* . . . LB
2 Ray Southard DB	27 Rick Howard** . . . DB	51 Bob Adelsperger . . OT	76 Eric Williams* OT	99 Tom Addie DT
3 Ray Redd** DB	28 Deon Allen RB	52 Billy Horn OL	77 Mark Nelson* OL	Stanford Belue . . . WR
4 Michael Jackson . . DB	30 Keith Best DB	53 Scott Beckley* . . . LS	78 David Haynes DL	Tom Bonham WR
6 Jason Zeller PK	31 Mike Otten* FB	55 Mike Estep*** . . . OG	79 Calvin Whitfield . . . DL	Brian Campolong . . FB
7 Rod King DB	33 Mark Polivka* LB	56 Charles Dotson . . . LB	80 Chris Neal** TE	Kevin Collins TB
8 Jeff Davis** TB	34 Shawn Daniels . . . FB	57 Eric Lundgren DT	82 Ronald Heard FL	Greg Glassco OL
9 Jerry Brocks DB	35 Jim Howell RB	58 Larry Lambright . . LB	83 Reggie Thornton . . WR	Dave Graue TE
10 Jeff Sandru QB	36 Mike McGee* TB	59 Phil Walker*** . . . DT	84 Howard Copeland . . TE	Scott Henderson . . . LB
11 Rich Dackin QB	37 Fred Turner DB	60 Eric Helgesen* C	85 Tony Parker** DE	John Masters TE
13 Greg A. Johnson** . . P	38 Charles Edgerton . . RB	62 Mark Sparger OG	86 John Hunter** DE	Keith Pace LB
14 Mark Bongers WR	39 Dean Bryson*** . . . DB	63 Derrick Carr DL	87 Ron Austin TE	Tom Pope DL
15 Rich Tracy QB	40 Ron Viscounte . . . RB	64 Dave Bittner*** . . . OG	88 Toy Eason LB	John Rolwing LB
16 Tony McCorvey* . . . DB	41 Joe Foley** LB	65 Ken Schriner* OL	89 Andre Vaughn DB	
17 Allen Smith DB	42 Robert Rogers* . . . LB	66 John Hopkins DL	90 Rob Brumer DL	
19 Eric Smith QB	43 Paul Schweitzer*** LB	67 Ron Todd OT	91 Derrick Gant TE	
20 Darryl Story* TB	44 Shawn Zimmerman LB	67 Bill McCreary* OL	92 Greg Johnson** . . . DT	
21 Kyle Kramer* DB	45 Dave Kriceri RB	70 Bill Whan OT	93 Wayne Wright DE	
22 Greg Sharp WR	46 Dennis Schiets* . . . DE	71 Harold Arrowsmith OT	94 Dave Kinzie DL	
23 Mike Holmes DB	47 Anthony Bell LB	72 Mike Joyce OT	95 Gerald Bayless*** TE	
24 Ken Rankin** WR	48 Jack Coppess* DL	73 Mark Cumberledge OL	96 Tony Lynch DL	
25 Rozell Winters RB	49 Erik Johnson** . . . LB	74 Neal Mahoney* OL	97 Bill McClure C	

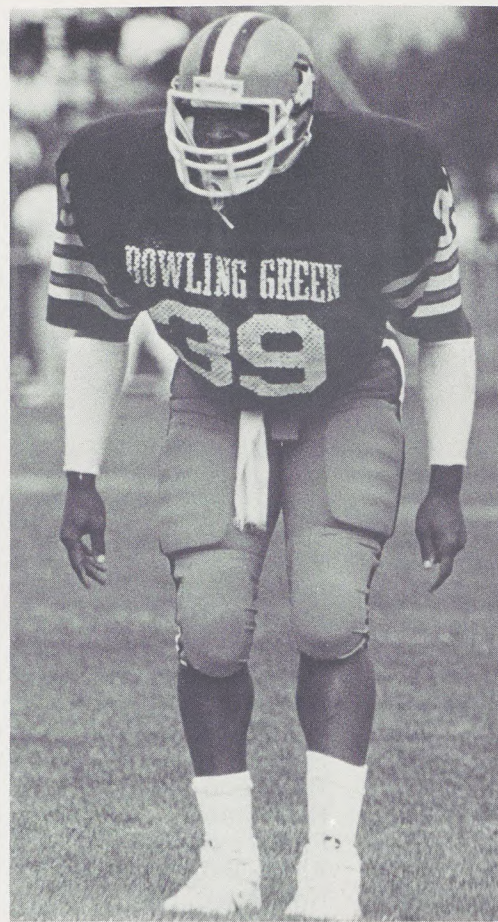
1986 Falcon Stars



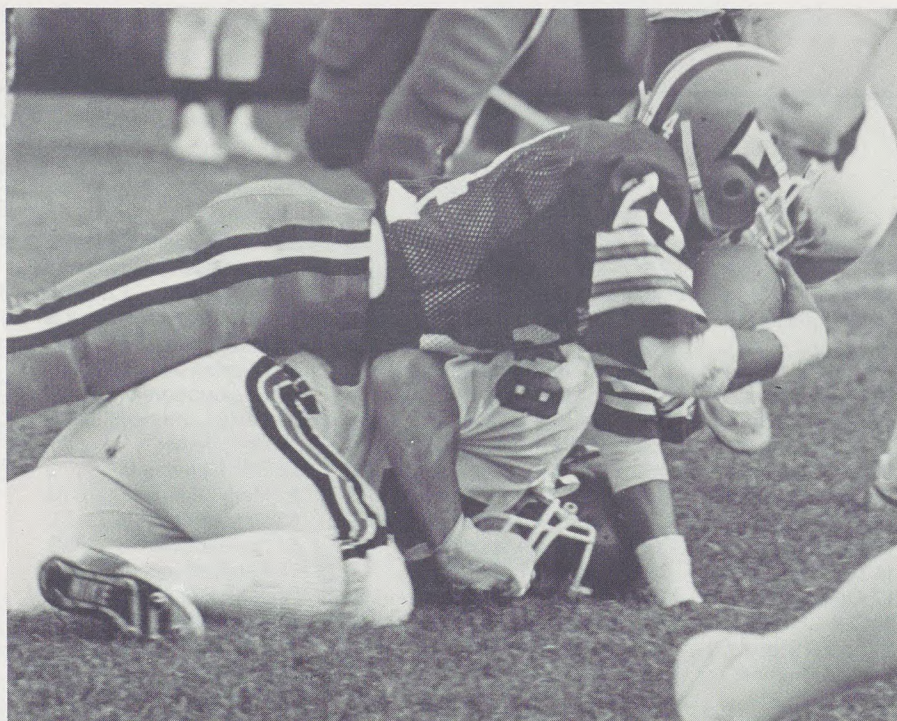
Paul Silvi was perfect on all 40 PAT's in 1985.



Greg A. Johnson was a first team all-MAC selection last year.

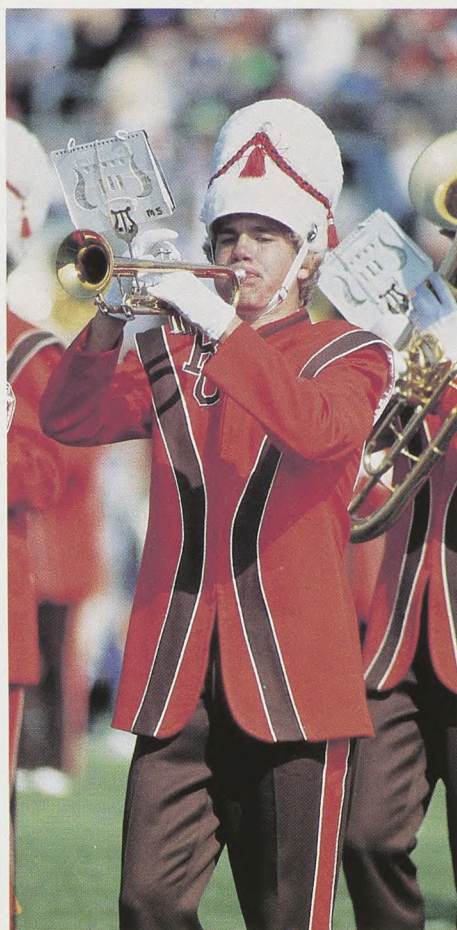


Dean Bryson prepares to defend.



Ken Rankin comes up with a catch.

Bowling Green Today



Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

When Bowling Green State University opened its doors in 1914, there were 15 faculty members and all 158 students were studying to be teachers. Since then, the range of educational opportunities has expanded to those of a large university while BGSU has retained the personalized small school atmosphere of its early years.

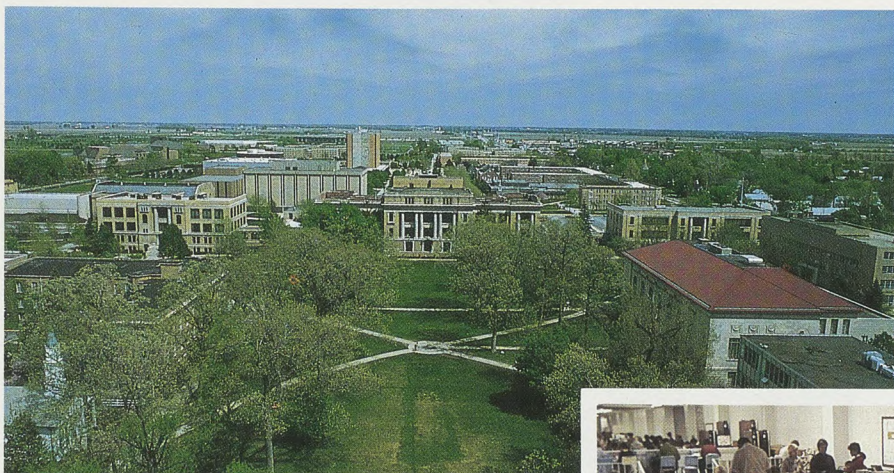
Today the University has nearly 750 full-time and 200 part-time faculty and 17,000 students on its main campus. It offers more than 170 undergraduate degree programs, 75 master's degree programs and has 12 departments granting doctoral degrees in more than 40 specialty areas.

The University's faculty members, 82 percent of whom hold the highest degree in their fields, include Fulbright Scholars, authors and internationally known researchers. The caliber of the faculty is reflected, too, in such recognition as the 1986 Eminent

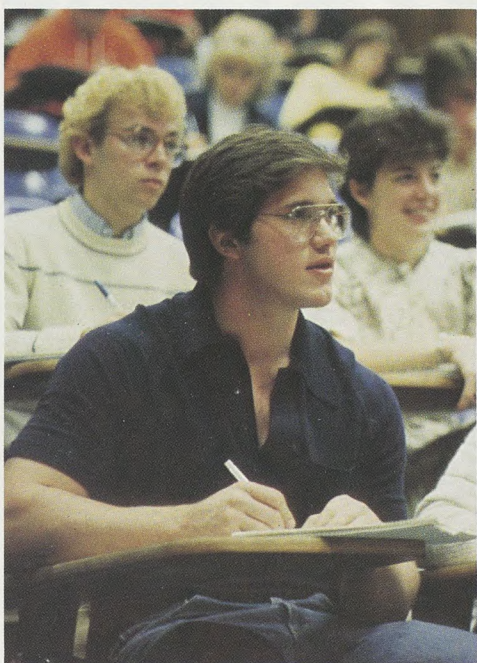
Scholar Award received by the chemistry department as part of the Ohio Board of Regents' Selective Excellence Program.

In addition to their scholastic achievements, the faculty provide a multitude of services to the northwest Ohio community. The Speech and Hearing Clinic, as well as the Psychological Services Center, annually assist hundreds of people from throughout northwest Ohio. A Reading Clinic and the Creative Arts Program serve a younger population, encouraging children's development in both basic skills and creative pursuits. The Management Center has helped hundreds of businesses improve their organization and productivity and, through Network BG, a wide range of faculty expertise is available for consultation and research.





Bowling Green's 1,250-acre main campus is ideal for the residential campus community. Nearly half of BGSU's students live in residence halls and can walk to classes through an attractive natural environment. Our students come from throughout the United States and nearly 60 other countries. They are active in more than 160 organizations and participate in all levels of University governance.



More than 100 campus buildings house modern facilities of every description which are continually being refurbished. Recent additions of microcomputer laboratories, for example, give every student and faculty member ready access to the technology of the computer age. The Physical Sciences Laboratory Building, completed in 1984, includes a planetarium and roof-top observatory which are used for both academic and public programs.





Support for the University's programs and facilities is generated from a variety of sources including more than 90,000 alumni. Alumni chapters throughout the state and nation actively recruit outstanding students and raise funds to support their alma mater. Their continuing interest has resulted in many scholarships, endowments and capital improvements which will enhance the University for generations to come.



California Bowl V



Captains Chris Hartman (L) and Brian McClure greet Ohio Governor Celeste at the Toledo Airport.



Jeff Davis scored BG's only touchdown in the California Bowl.



Quarterbacks Brian McClure of BG and Kevin Sweeney of Fresno State.



Rick Howard defends against the pass.



Darryl Story tries to turn the corner.

1986 Depth Chart

DEFENSE

WCB

Ray Southard
Jerry Brooks
Rod King
Lesley Harris

FS

Kyle Kramer
Michael Jackson
Sean Dykes

SS

Dean Bryson
Rick Howard
Keith Best
Andre Vaughn

SCB

Ray Redd
Tony McCorvey
Fred Turner
Melvin Marshall

SAM

Erik Johnson
Mark Polivka
Larry Lambright
Shawn Zimmerman

WILLY

Paul Schweitzer
Rob Rogers
Colby Latimer
John Rolwing
Troy Dawson

OLLIE

Tony Parker
Wayne Wright
Chris Hartman

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

Phil Walker
Derrick Carr
Tom Addie
Calvin Whitfield

NOSE TACKLE

Greg Johnson
David Kinzie
David Haynes
Mike Foor

GUARD

Jack Coppess
Eric Lundgren
Tom Pope
Vince Villanucci

ED

John Hunter
Joe Foley
Dennis Schiets

OFFENSE

LT

Eric Williams
Greg Studrawa
Bill Whan
Dan Schriner

LG

Dave Bittner
Neal Mahoney
Greg Glassco

C

Eric Helgesen
Ken Schriner
Bill McClure
Bob Adelsperger

RG

Mike Estep
Bill McCreary
Mark Sparger

RT

Mark Nelson
Mike Joyce
Ron Todd

SE

Ken Rankin
Mark Bongers
Stanford Belue
Stan Hunter

QB

Jeff Sandru/Eric Smith
Brian McClure

TE

Gerald Bayless
Chris Neal
Ron Austin
Dave Graue
Howard Copeland

TB

Jeff Davis
Darryl Story
Mike McGee
Charles Edgerton
Kevin Collins
Bernard White

FB

Mike Otten
Shawn Daniels
Ron Viscount
Dave Kricer
Brian Campolong
George Schmelzle

FL

Ronald Heard
Reggie Thornton
Greg Meehan

Punter — **Greg A. Johnson**

Placekicker — **Paul Silvi**

Long Snapper — **Scott Beckley**

Boldface indicates returning starter

Italics indicates starter lost

BG 31, Ball State 6

September 7 at Ball State Stadium — 10,210

The Falcons opened the 1985 campaign with a thundering defensive performance in Muncie, Indiana as the defense rose to the occasion and actually outscored BGSU's much-heralded offense. Trailing 3-0 after Ball State's opening drive resulted in a 39-yard field goal, linebacker Erik Johnson fell on a mishandled snap in the end zone to give the Falcons a 7-3 lead they would not relinquish. The Cardinals drew to within 7-6 on another field goal but BGSU's Paul Silvi booted a pair of 32-yard FG's in the second quarter to give the Falcons a 13-6 lead as halftime approached. Suddenly, with just :11 left in the half, all-league cornerback Melvin Marshall stepped in front of a BSU receiver and intercepted a pass before going 62-yards to give the Falcons a 19-6 halftime lead.

BG's offense contributed just one score on the day, that coming on a one-yard plunge by tailback Bernard White midway through the third quarter. Late in the third period, lightning struck twice as Marshall picked off a deflected pass and scampered 21-yards into the end zone for his second TD of the day, tying an NCAA record for interceptions for touchdowns in a single game.

The Falcon defense was clearly the hero in this contest as they held the Cardinals to 189 yards of total offense. Quarterback Brian McClure completed 15 of 30 passes for 217 yards. Wide receiver Stan Hunter caught seven of those tosses for 102 yards.

	BG	BSU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	15	13	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	26/50	53/85	BG—White: 12-67
Passing			BSU—Campbell: 23-59
(Att-Comp-Int)	15-30-1	13-20-2	Passing —
Passing Yards	217	104	BG—McClure: 30-15-1-217
Total Yards	267	189	BSU—Kosakowski:
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-2	18-11-2-93
Penalties	3-34	4-49	Receiving —

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	7	12	12	0-31
Ball State	3	3	0	0-6

SCORING SUMMARY

BSU—John Dietrich 39 FG, 10:52, 1st Qtr.
BGSU—Erik Johnson fumble recovery (Silvi kick) 6:52, 1st Qtr.
BSU—John Dietrich 39 FG, 14:57, 2nd Qtr.
BGSU—Paul Silvi 32 FG, 10:43, 2nd Qtr.
BGSU—Paul Silvi 32 FG, 5:42, 2nd Qtr.
BGSU—Melvin Marshall 62 pass interception return (Pass failed), :11, 2nd Qtr.
BGSU—Bernard White 1 run (Run failed), 1:46, 3rd Qtr.
BGSU—Melvin Marshall 21 pass interception return (Pass failed), 1:27, 3rd Qtr.

BG 28, Miami 24

September 21 at Doyt Perry Field — 23,500

Years from now they may refer to Bowling Green's 28-24 win over Miami as the "Miracle of Doyt Perry Field." The Falcons managed to rally from a 10-point deficit within the last two minutes to beat the Redskins for the third straight year, something that had never been done before in Bowling Green history.

The Falcons held a 7-3 lead late in the second quarter after QB Brian McClure threw a 30-yard scoring pass to flanker Joe Boxley. But on a second and 14 play from the BG 18, McClure dropped back to pass and just as he released the ball, he was hit by a diving Miami defender. The result: a sprained knee knocking BG's Heisman Trophy candidate out of the game. On came fifth-year senior Rick Neiman whose previous career totals included completing both passes he had attempted for a total of nine yards, about 8,000 less than McClure. Neiman moved his career tally to three-for-three when his first pass of the game went 29 yards to Stan Hunter giving the Falcons a comfortable 14-3 lead. But Miami scored three unanswered touchdowns, taking a 24-14 lead with 3:45 left in the game. Neiman drove the Falcons downfield and tossed a crucial fourth down pass 13 yards to Bernard White who legged the ball into the end zone with 1:24 to play. Rick Howard recovered Paul Silvi's onside kick at the Miami 47 and Neiman hit Greg Meehan for a 40-yard gain to the seven. From there, Neiman scrambled the final seven yards to give BG a 28-24 lead with two TD's in the span of :21. Still, it took a pass deflection by linebacker Paul Schweitzer on the final play of the game to secure BG's victory.

	BG	MU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	14	22	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	29/130	55/245	BG—White: 19-47
Passing			MU—Swann: 29-133
(Att-Comp-Int)	28-15-0	35-18-1	Passing —
Passing Yards	242	147	BG—McClure: 15-7-1-86
Total Yards	354	382	BG—Neiman: 20-11-0-156
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1	MU—Marlow: 26-14-0-132
Penalties	5-45	3-18	Receiving —

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Miami	0	3	7	14-24
Bowling Green	7	0	7	14-28

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—Boxley 30 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 7:09, 1st Qtr.
MU—Gussman 38 field goal 4:29, 2nd Qtr.
BG—Hunter 29 pass from Neiman (Silvi kick) 14:07, 3rd Qtr.
MU—Dauch 8 pass from Marlow (Gussman kick) 2:18, 3rd Qtr.
MU—Graham 1 run (Gussman kick) 9:34, 4th Qtr.
MU—Swann 10 run (Gussman kick) 3:45, 4th Qtr.
BG—White 13 pass from Neiman (Silvi kick) 1:24, 4th Qtr.
BG—Neiman 7 run (Silvi kick) 1:03, 4th Qtr.

BG 30, Kentucky 26

September 14 at Commonwealth Stadium — 57,620

The Falcons invaded the Southeastern Conference and left a message that Bowling Green would be a force in the coming football season. Trailing Kentucky 26-21 with just 2:52 left in the game and the ball resting on the Falcons' 24, Brian McClure moves the Falcons downfield, completing seven of 11 passes for 81 yards. McClure completes the winning drive by throwing 11 yards to flanker Greg Meehan for the score with just :23 left on the clock. The Wildcats try a trick play on the ensuing kick-off but it backfires to give the Falcons a safety and the final two points they need to solidify a 30-26 win over Kentucky.

McClure completes 30-48 passes for 309 yards and three touchdowns. Besides the winning pass to Meehan, McClure threw third quarter scoring strikes of 17 yards to Gerald Bayless and 11 yards to Stan Hunter. Bernard White rushed for a first quarter touchdown as he tied the game at 7-7.

To cap the day off, the Falcons carry head coach Denny Stolz off the field as the victory was the 100th of Stolz' career.

	BG	UK	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	22	22	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	21/53	51/173	BG—White: 13-77-1
Passing			UK—Logan: 22-94
(Att-Comp-Int)	30-48-1	15-34-1	Passing —
Passing Yards	309	313	BG—McClure: 48-30-1-309
Total Yards	362	482	UK—Ransdell: 34-15-1-313
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0	Receiving —
Penalties	6-54	9-74	BG—White: 7-48

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	7	0	14	9-30
Kentucky	7	10	3	6-26

SCORING SUMMARY

UK—Ransdell 9 pass to Derry (Worley Kick), 5:08, 1st Qtr.
BG—White 1 run (Silvi kick), :24, 1st Qtr.
UK—Worley 25 field goal, 8:08, 2nd Qtr.
UK—Logan 1 run (Worley kick), :22, 2nd Qtr.
BG—Bayless (17 pass from McClure (Silvi kick), 10:24, 3rd Qtr.
BG—Hunter 11 pass from McClure (Silvi kick), 9:23, 3rd Qtr.
UK—Worley 34 field goal, 3:26, 3rd Qtr.
UK—Worley 36 field goal, 9:01, 4th Qtr.
UK—Worley 38 field goal, 2:52, 4th Qtr.
BG—Meehan 11 pass from McClure (Silvi kick), :23, 4th Qtr.
BG—Safety, 0:15, 4th Qtr.

BG 27, Akron 22

September 28, Doyt Perry Field — 25,000

The Falcons ran their record to 4-0 on the season and extended their home field winning streak to ten games with a 27-22 win over Akron on September 28 in front of 25,000 Falcon fans. BG took a 7-0 lead on Bernard White's one-yard TD run on BG's first possession. After Akron tied the game midway through the first quarter, the Falcons took a 14-7 lead when Brian McClure connected on a 30-yard touchdown pass to Greg Meehan late in the first quarter. A pair of Russ Klaus field goals cut the BG lead and sent the Falcons to the locker room with a 14-13 lead. A two-yard pass from McClure to Gerald Bayless gave BGSU a 21-13 lead but Klaus kicked three more field goals to tie an Akron school record and give the Zips a 22-21 lead with 12:28 left in the game. McClure drove the Falcons downfield and White leaped over from one-yard out, giving the Falcons a 27-22 advantage. McClure, though slowed from the previous week's knee injury, completed 28 of 38 passes for 252 yards and a pair of touchdowns.

	BG	UA	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	24	16	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	40/168	44/227	BG—White: 31-148
Passing			UA—Clark: 29-122
(Att-Comp-Int)	38-28-5	9-26-1	Passing —
Passing Yards	252	174	BG—McClure: 38-28-5-252
Total Yards	406	390	UA—Stewart: 26-9-1-174
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0	Receiving —
Penalties	5-50	6-52	BG—Bayless: 7-72

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Akron	7	6	6	3-22
Bowling Green	14	0	7	6-27

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—White 1 run (Silvi kick) 10:09, 1st Qtr.
UA—Taylor 12 pass from Stewart (Klaus kick) 7:30, 1st Qtr.
BG—Meehan 30 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 1:32, 1st Qtr.
UA—Klaus 34 field goal 11:24, 2nd Qtr.
UA—Klaus 26 field goal 0:36, 2nd Qtr.
BG—Bayless 2 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 10:22, 3rd Qtr.
UA—Klaus 34 field goal 5:53, 3rd Qtr.
UA—Klaus 22 field goal 2:49, 3rd Qtr.
UA—Klaus 22 field goal 12:28, 4th Qtr.

1985 In Review

BG 48, Western Michigan 7

October 5, Waldo Stadium — 12,000

Opportunity came knocking for the Falcons on this overcast Saturday in Kalamazoo. The Falcons turned six Western Michigan turnovers into five touchdowns en route to a 48-7 win over the Broncos. The Broncos fumbled their first play from scrimmage and less than a minute into the game, Brian McClure threw a 20 yard touchdown pass to Stan Hunter. The Falcons made the best of three interceptions and three fumble recoveries in rolling to win number five. Hunter added another first quarter touchdown reception and Bernard White and Darryl Story each ran for first period scores to give BG a 28-0 lead after one quarter. Story and White would add fourth quarter TD's and Paul Silvi booted a pair of field goals, including a season long 48-yarder, in helping BG to the victory. McClure completed 23 of 33 passes for 252 yards while White ran for 88 yards and Story added an additional 71 yards on the ground. Hunter finished the day with eight receptions for 118 yards and two scores.

	BG	WMU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	21	13	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	38-155	48-196	BG—White: 24-88
Passing			BG—Story: 8-71
(Att-Comp-Int)	35-24-1	20-6-3	WM—Chaathem: 21-87
Passing Yards	262	66	
Total Yards	417	262	Passing —
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	8-3	BG—McClure: 33-23-1-252
Penalties	8-94	6-67	WM—Van Skoten: 9-4-2-62

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	28	3	3	14-48
W. Michigan	0	0	0	7-7

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—Hunter 20 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 14:03, 1st Qtr.
 BG—White 10 run (Silvi kick) 4:06, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Hunter 14 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 0:52, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Story 12 run (Silvi kick) :34, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 32 field goal 4:38, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 48 field goal 6:43, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—White 5 run (Silvi kick) 14:55, 4th Qtr.
 WM—Spielmaker 1 pass from Van Skoten (Creek kick) 4:58, 4th Qtr.
 BG—Story 7 run (Silvi kick) 1:14, 4th Qtr.

BG 23, Central Michigan 18

October 19, Doyt Perry Field — 16,500

Bowling Green and Central Michigan have been two of the strongest powers in the Mid-American Conference in the 1980's but BG had won just one of four meetings at Perry Field with the Chippewas. Following the pattern set in their previous six contests, the Falcons fell behind early when CMU kicked a 23-yard field goal late in the first quarter. Paul Silvi tied the game early in the second quarter with a 33-yard boot. BG took the lead for good when Bernard White sprinted 17 yards for a score, giving the Falcons a 10-3 lead. A CMU TD in the closing seconds of the second quarter sent the Falcons to the locker room with a 10-9 halftime lead. Brian McClure padded the Falcon lead with a five-yard pass to Stan Hunter in the third quarter. After another CMU field goal, White hurdled the line from one-yard out to give the Falcons a 23-12 lead. Though CMU piled up nearly 500 yards of total offense, the Falcon defense held when it counted, and intercepted a season high four passes.

	BG	CMU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	16	26	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	34/137	49/205	BG—White: 22-95
Passing			CM—Brown: 19-77
(Att-Comp-Int)	40-26-0	37-18-4	
Passing Yards	266	288	Passing —
Total Yards	376	474	BG—McClure: 40-26-0-266
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-0	CM—Fillmore: 37-18-4-288
Penalties	7-56	4-17	

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Ken. Michigan	3	6	0	9-18
Bowling Green	0	10	6	7-23

SCORING SUMMARY

CM—Tierny 23 field goal 3:30, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 33 field goal 12:29, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—White 17 run (Silvi kick) 4:45, 2nd Qtr.
 CM—DeBoer 12 pass from Fillmore (kick failed) 0:18, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—S. Hunter 5 pass from McClure (pass failed) 1:58, 3rd Qtr.
 CM—Tierny 24 field goal 11:32, 4th Qtr.
 BG—White 1 run (Silvi kick) 7:35, 4th Qtr.
 CM—Stevenson 1 run (pass failed) 2:44, 4th Qtr.

BG 42, Eastern Michigan 24

October 12 at Rynearson Stadium — 15,204

An all-day rain abated shortly before game time but that didn't prevent Rynearson Stadium from becoming a muddy track. The playing conditions didn't bother the Falcons in the first quarter as Bernard White tallied a pair of touchdowns on runs of five and eight yards. But the second quarter belonged to Eastern Michigan as the Hurons tied the game with a pair of touchdown passes. Eastern took a third quarter lead on a 21-yard field goal but the Falcon offense came alive, tallying three third quarter touchdowns to put the game out of reach. Brian McClure hooked up with flanker Greg Meehan on a 78-yard touchdown play, the Falcons' longest scoring play of the season. White added his third and fourth touchdowns of the game on runs of 30 and three yards. To cap off his 320 yard passing performance, McClure tossed a 64-yard scoring pass to split end Ken Rankin.

	BG	EMU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	17	14	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	39/170	37/147	BG—White: 17-102
Passing			EMU—Johnson: 19-76
(Att-Comp-Int)	38-23-1	24-15-0	
Passing Yards	336	208	Passing —
Total Yards	487	306	BG—McClure: 37-22-1-320
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-1	EMU—Gordon: 17-10-0-95
Penalties	6-55	2-32	

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	14	0	21	7-42
E. Michigan	0	14	3	7-24

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—White 5 run (Silvi kick) 8:25, 1st Qtr.
 BG—White 8 run (Silvi kick) 0:32, 1st Qtr.
 EM—Vesling 2 pass from Gordon (Ferretti kick) 6:49, 2nd Qtr.
 EM—Vesling 56 pass from Mathews (Ferretti kick) 0:54, 2nd Qtr.
 EM—Ferretti 21 field goal 8:06, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—Meehan 78 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 7:50, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—White 30 run (Silvi kick) 3:42, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—White 3 run (Silvi kick) 2:18, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—Rankin 64 pass from McClure (Silvi kick), 4th Qtr.
 EM—Mathews 34 pass from Adams (Ferretti kick) 6:26, 4th Qtr.

BG 26, Kent State 14

October 26, Doyt Perry Field — 19,000

The Falcon defense rose to the occasion on this sunny Saturday afternoon as Kent State was unable to capitalize on five drives that started in BG territory. Kent State outgains the Falcons in total offense and the Flashes get the first and last tallies of the game. But in between the Falcon offense struggled to 26 points and a 26-14 win. Kent took a 7-0 first quarter lead before Bernard White goes over from two-yards out to tie the game. Paul Silvi boots field goals of 47 and 28 yards in the second quarter to give BG a 13-7 halftime lead. McClure throws a pair of second half touchdowns, going 20 yards to tight end Gerald Bayless and two yards to fullback Bill Kuhlman. The BG defense holds the Flashes to just 77 yards rushing and Tony McCorvey intercepts a late Kent pass to kill any threat of a score.

	BG	Kent	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	16	13	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	42/77	40/125	BG—White: 25-118
Passing			KS—Golden: 9-39
(Att-Comp-Int)	33-16-0	28-11-1	
Passing Yards	129	203	Passing —
Total Yards	254	280	BG—McClure: 33-16-0-129
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	2-1	KS—Poth: 20-9-0-181
Penalties	7-60	10-60	

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Kent State	7	0	0	7-14
Bowling Green	0	13	7	6-26

SCORING SUMMARY

KS—Wilkerson 2 run (Nimtz kick) 4:32, 1st Qtr.
 BG—White 2 run (Silvi kick) 12:14, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 47 field goal 3:00, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 28 field goal 0:03, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—Bayless 20 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 1:29, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—Kuhlman 2 pass from McClure (pass failed) 8:38, 4th Qtr.
 KS—Dye 62 pass from Poth (Nimtz kick) 6:00, 4th Qtr.

BG 34, Northern Illinois 14

November 2, Huskie Stadium — 22,600

The Falcons scored early and often in running away from Northern Illinois by a 34-14 count. Besides the victory over the Huskies that pushed the Falcons to 9-0 on the season and extended their winning streak to 12 games, Brian McClure put his name in the record books by setting an NCAA record for career 200-yard games, moving into second place in career passing yards behind Doug Flutie, and surpassing the 2,000 yard mark in passing for the third straight year. The Falcons jumped to a 10-0 first quarter lead on a two-yard run by Bernard White and a 24-yard field goal by Paul Silvi. Northern countered with a touchdown early in the second quarter to cut the score to 10-7. But the Huskies tried a fake punt when faced with a fourth and five from their own eight yard line and Chris Hartman snuffed the run, setting up White for his second TD of the day, a one-yard plunge. Early in the third quarter, McClure found flanker Greg Meehan open on a 63-yard scoring pass and when Silvi added a 46-yard boot and White scored his third TD of the day, the Falcons found themselves with a 34-7 advantage heading into the final quarter.

	BG	NIU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	19	15	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	35/131	55/184	BG—White: 20-81
Passing			NI—M. Taylor: 28-112
(Att-Comp-Int)	28-17-0	8-14-2	
Passing Yards	221	95	Passing —
Total Yards	352	279	BG—McClure: 28-17-0-221
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-0	NI—M. Taylor: 14-8-2-95
Penalties	5-42	6-72	
			Receiving —
			BG—Meehan: 3-86
			BG—Bayless: 4-26
			BG—S. Hunter: 3-62
			NI—Graham: 3-31

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	10	7	17	0-34
N. Illinois	0	7	0	7-14

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—White 2 run (Silvi kick) 11:19, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 24 field goal 2:13, 1st Qtr.
 NI—M. Taylor 1 run (Forester kick) 10:31, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—White 1 run (Silvi kick) 2:16, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—Meehan 63 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 10:26, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 46 field goal 6:56, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—White 5 run (Silvi kick) 3:23, 3rd Qtr.
 NI—R. Taylor 89 punt return (Forester kick) 3:41, 4th Qtr.

BG 21, Toledo 0

November 16, Doyt Perry Field — 28,110

Toledo had frustrated the Falcons for the past three seasons, winning three straight games from the current crop of seniors. But there was something more meaningful on this day than just the Rockets: this was the final home game for 24 Falcon seniors and a victory would give the Falcons the Mid-American Conference championship. When Brian McClure's first pass attempt was intercepted, many of the 28,110 fans, the second largest crowd in BG history, must have been wondering if the Toledo jinx would continue. But after stopping the Rocket drive, McClure tosses a 29-yard touchdown pass to Stan Hunter. Moments later, defensive end Chris Hartman steps in front of a UT pass and returns it 22 yards to give the Falcons a 14-0 lead. Playing on another muddy field, the Falcons turn to a ball control offense in the second half, attempting just six passes, and letting Bernard White lug the ball for 104 yards on the day including a six-yard third quarter touchdown. The victory gives Bowling Green its second MAC title in the past four seasons, and closes out the home schedule for the seniors who posted a 19-1 record over the past four years at Perry Field.

	BG	UT	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	13	9	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	40/125	36/55	BG—White: 27-104
Passing			UT—Farmer: 25-43
(Att-Comp-Int)	20-11-1	22-11-1	
Passing Yards	143	93	Passing —
Total Yards	268	148	BG—McClure: 20-11-1-143
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	3-2	UT—Sager: 15-9-0-74
Penalties	4-30	3-30	
			Receiving —
			BG—Bayless: 6-74
			BG—S. Hunter: 2-50
			UT—Hall: 2-28

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Toledo	0	0	0	0-0
Bowling Green	14	0	7	0-21

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—S. Hunter 29 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 5:10, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Hartman 22 interception return (Silvi kick) 2:02, 1st Qtr.
 BG—White 6 run (Silvi kick) 6:53, 3rd Qtr.

BG 38, Ohio University 7

November 23 at Peden Stadium — 6,782

Ohio University is the last obstacle between the Falcons and a perfect 11-0 season. The Bobcats enter the game with the worst defense in the league and a solid grasp on last place. And when BG jumps to a 24-0 first half lead, the stadium begins to empty. But Ohio realizes that a victory over the Falcons could salvage their season, and they quickly cut the lead to 24-17 before the Falcons pull away with a pair of fourth quarter touchdowns.

It's the last regular season game for stellar quarterback Brian McClure and 23 other seniors and a host of records are on the line. McClure has the best single game performance of his career, throwing for 479 yards and three touchdowns. He led the Falcons to the 24-0 lead with a 21-yard scoring pass to Ken Rankin and a 31-yarder to Stan Hunter. Bernard White padded his position as the nation's leading scorer with a three-yard run in the second quarter.

After Ohio closed the gap to 24-17, McClure countered with an 11-yard scoring pass to flanker Joe Boxley, and back-up tailback Jeff Davis more than quadrupled his season rushing yardage with a 67-yard burst for a TD.

	BG	OU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	25	16	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	36/138	22/79	BG—Davis: 4-88
Passing			OU—Owens: 11-47
(Att-Comp-Int)	49-31-5	50-30-3	
Passing Yards	479	237	Passing —
Total Yards	617	316	BG—McClure: 49-31-5-479
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	1-1	OU—Swearingen: 50-30-3-237
Penalties	6-70	4-55	
			Receiving —
			BG—Hunter: 10-175
			BG—Boxley: 8-151
			OU—Compennolle: 7-52

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	7	17	0	14-38
Ohio Univ.	0	0	17	0-17

SCORING SUMMARY

BG—Rankin 21 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 2:51, 1st Qtr.
 BG—Hunter 31 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 14:13, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—White 3 run (Silvi kick) 8:02, 2nd Qtr.
 BG—Silvi 30 Field Goal 2:15, 2nd Qtr.
 OU—Owens 10 pass from Swearingen (Judge kick) 12:03, 3rd Qtr.
 OU—Johns 8 pass from Swearingen (Judge kick) 5:35, 3rd Qtr.
 OU—Judge 28 field goal 4:18, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—Boxley 11 pass from McClure (Silvi kick) 9:53, 4th Qtr.
 BG—Davis 67 run (Silvi kick) 2:123, 4th Qtr.

Fresno State 51, BG 7

December 14, Bulldog Stadium — 32,554

What had been predicted to be one of the most evenly matched and exciting California Bowls turned out to be a one-sided affair in favor of the hometown Fresno State Bulldogs. Fresno tallied once in the first quarter for a 7-0 lead but built that to 23-0 by halftime. Fresno State, hoping to break into the top 20, poured it on in the second half, building a 37-0 lead in the third quarter before Falcon tailback Jeff Davis scored on an 18-yard run.

The Falcons, who had lost only five fumbles all season long, lost five on this day alone.

Davis concluded the day as BG's top rusher with 78 yards on the ground while Darryl Story added 41 yards. Senior Bernard White, hampered by a leg injury suffered against Ohio, was held to 12 yards on eight carries. Quarterback Brian McClure completed 22 of 42 passes for 254 yards in his final collegiate game.

Flanker Greg Meehan earned BGSU's MVP award for catching seven passes for 65 yards.

The California Bowl was also the last game for head coach Denny Stolz who had been named as the new head coach at San Diego State University earlier in the week.

	BG	FSU	INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS
First Downs	21	15	
Rushing			Rushing —
(Atts/Yard)	36/89	48/225	BG—Davis: 7-78-1
Passing			FSU—Williams: 18-94-1
(Att-Comp-Int)	48-23-3	20-10-1	
Passing Yards	259	194	Passing —
Total Yards	348	419	BG—McClure: 42-22-3-254
Fumbles-Lost	6-5	2-1	FSU—Sweeney: 19-9-1-185
Penalties	11-71	12-112	
			Receiving —
			BG—Schmelzle: 7-84
			BG—Meehan: 7-65
			BG—Bayless: 3-31
			FSU—Taylor: 2-86

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bowling Green	0	0	0	7-7
Fresno State	7	16	14	14-51

SCORING SUMMARY

FSU—Williams 10 run (Belli kick) 9:29, 1st Qtr.
 FSU—Mosley 1 run (Belli kick) 8:02, 2nd Qtr.
 FSU—Taylor 33 pass from Sweeney (Belli kick) 6:59, 2nd Qtr.
 FSU—Safety, McClure tackled in end zone 4:39, 2nd Qtr.
 FSU—Taylor 53 pass from Sweeney (Belli kick) 10:08, 3rd Qtr.
 FSU—Skipper 29 run (Belli kick) 3:09, 3rd Qtr.
 BG—Davis 18 run (Silvi kick) 14:28, 4th Qtr.
 FSU—Baker 40 pass from Sweeney 8:56, 4th Qtr.
 FSU—Skipper 13 run (Belli kick) 5:57, 4th Qtr.

1985 Stats

RESULTS (11-1 Overall; 9-0 MAC)

31	at Ball State	6	10,210
30	at Kentucky	26	57,620
28	MIAMI	24	23,500
27	AKRON	22	25,000
48	at Western Michigan	7	12,000
42	at Eastern Michigan	24	15,204
23	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	18	16,500
26	KENT STATE	14	19,000
34	at Northern Illinois	14	22,600
21	TOLEDO	0	28,110
38	at Ohio University	17	6,782
7	at Fresno State	51	32,554

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RUSHING

	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long
White	221	1006	57	949	4.3	18	48
Story	45	165	19	146	3.2	2	40
Schmelzle	39	144	12	132	3.4	0	11
Davis	8	103	0	103	12.9	1	67
Kuhlman	16	58	4	54	3.4	0	11
Neiman	7	38	29	9	1.3	1	14
McClure	42	57	146	(89)	—	0	8
BG TOTAL	378	1571	267	1304	3.4	22	67
OPPONENT	492	1882	298	1584	3.2	6	39

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	Pct.	TD
McClure	371	226	16	2674	60.9	18
Neiman	23	13	0	182	56.5	2
BG TOTAL	394	239	16	2856	60.7	20
OPPONENT	303	151	18	1928	49.8	11

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
S. Hunter	55	761	13.8	7	36
Meehan	38	646	17.0	4	78
Bayless	37	425	11.5	3	47
White	33	228	6.9	1	21
Schmelzle	32	236	7.4	0	32
Boxley	28	348	12.4	2	44
Rankin	8	163	20.4	2	64
Kuhlman	5	19	3.8	1	6
W. McClure	1	15	15.0	0	15
Neal	1	10	10.0	0	10
Story	1	5	5.0	0	5
BG TOTAL	239	2856	11.9	20	78
OPPONENT	151	1928	12.8	11	82

SCORING

	TD	PAT	Kick	Other	FG	Total
White	19	0	0	0	0	114
Silvi	0	40-40	0	0	10-12	70
S. Hunter	7	0	0	0	0	42
Meehan	4	0	0	0	0	24
Bayless	3	0	0	0	0	18
Marshall	2	0	0	0	0	12
Story	2	0	0	0	0	12
Rankin	2	0	0	0	0	12
Boxley	2	0	0	0	0	12
E. Johnson	1	0	0	0	0	6
Neiman	1	0	0	0	0	6
Kuhlman	1	0	0	0	0	6
Hartman	1	0	0	0	0	6
Davis	1	0	0	0	0	6
BG TOTAL	46	40-40	1,0-6	10-12		348
OPPONENT	18	16-17	0-1	16-19		172

THIRD DOWN CONVERSION

BG 66 of 158 = 41.8%
OPP 65 of 181 = 35.9%

TIME OF POSSESSION

BG 327:13
OPP 332:47

TEAM STATISTICS

	BGSU	OPP
First Downs	208	179
Rushing	66	89
Passing	125	81
Penalty	17	9
Total Yards	4160	3512
Avg. Rushing	118.5	144.0
Avg. Passing	259.6	175.3
Avg. Total Off.	378.2	319.3
Fumbles/Lost	18-5	28-12
Penalties/Yards	62-590	57-522

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
Bowling Green	108	62	101	77	348
Opponent	27	49	36	60	172

*TOTAL OFFENSE

	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total Yds.
B. McClure	413	(89)	2674	2585
White	221	949	0	949
BG TOTAL	772	1304	2856	4160
OPPONENT	795	1584	1928	3512

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
G.A. Johnson	60	2450	40.8	68
Team	1	8	8.0	8
BG TOTAL	61	2458	40.3	68
OPPONENT	77	3008	39.1	66

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Rankin	12	64	5.3	0	11
Meehan	6	25	4.2	0	7
BG TOTAL	18	89	4.9	0	11
OPPONENT	29	235	8.1	0	89

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Boxley	19	385	20.3	0	36
Story	4	72	18.0	0	27
Rankin	2	46	23.0	0	31
Schweitzer	2	33	16.5	0	18
Foley	1	10	10.0	0	10
BG TOTAL	28	546	19.5	0	36
OPPONENT	38	539	14.2	0	37

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yards	TD
Marshall	4	83	2
Dykes	2	38	0
Hartman	2	34	1
Parker	2	17	0
E. Johnson	2	18	0
Harris	2	3	0
Schweitzer	2	0	0
McCorvey	1	0	0
Dawson	1	0	0
BG TOTAL	18	193	3
OPPONENT	16	161	0

*TACKLES

	Solo	Assist	Total
Dawson	57	96	153
E. Johnson	51	91	142
Foor	54	80	134
Hartman	60	74	134
Villanucci	46	65	111
J. Hunter	41	48	89
Schweitzer	37	50	87

*Leaders Only

Mid-American Conference

1985 MAC Standings



Team (Overall Record)	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
BOWLING GREEN (11-0-0)	9	0	0	1.000	291	124
Miami (8-2-1)	7	1	1	.833	240	156
Central Michigan (7-3-0)	6	3	0	.667	167	133
Western Michigan (4-6-1)	4	4	1	.500	173	157
Northern Illinois (4-7-0)	4	4	0	.500	121	135
Eastern Michigan (4-7-0)	3	6	0	.333	149	214
Ball State (4-7-0)	3	6	0	.333	156	219
Toledo (4-7-0)	3	6	0	.333	103	149
Kent State (3-8-0)	2	6	0	.250	161	195
Ohio University (2-9-0)	2	7	0	.222	161	240

Past MAC Champions

- 1985 — Bowling Green (9-0)
- 1984 — Toledo (7-1-1)
- 1983 — Northern Illinois (8-1-0)
- 1982 — Bowling Green (7-2-0)
- 1981 — Toledo (8-1-0)
- 1980 — Central Michigan (7-2-0)
- 1979 — Central Michigan (8-0-1)
- 1978 — Ball State (8-0-0)
- 1977 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1976 — Ball State (4-1-0)
- 1975 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1974 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1973 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1972 — Kent State (4-1-0)
- 1971 — Toledo (5-0-0)
- 1970 — Toledo (5-0-0)
- 1969 — Toledo (5-0-0)
- 1968 — Ohio University (6-0-0)
- 1967 — Toledo & Ohio University (5-1-0)
- 1966 — Miami & Western Michigan (5-1-0)
- 1965 — Bowling Green & Miami (5-1-0)
- 1964 — Bowling Green (5-1-0)
- 1963 — Ohio University (5-1-0)
- 1962 — Bowling Green (5-0-1)
- 1961 — Bowling Green (5-1-0)
- 1960 — Ohio University (6-0-0)
- 1959 — Bowling Green (6-0-0)
- 1958 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1957 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1956 — Bowling Green (5-0-1)
- 1955 — Miami (5-0-0)
- 1954 — Miami (4-0-0)
- 1953 — Ohio University (5-0-1)
- 1952 — Cincinnati (3-0-0)
- 1951 — Cincinnati (3-0-0)
- 1950 — Miami (4-0-0)
- 1949 — Cincinnati (4-0-0)
- 1948 — Miami (4-0-0)
- 1947 — Cincinnati (3-1-1)

Final 1985 MAC Statistics

TOTAL OFFENSE

	Plays	Yards	YPP	TD	YPG
Bowling Green	772	4160	5.4	43	378.2
Miami	727	3757	5.2	30	341.4
Central Mich.	735	3383	4.6	24	338.3
Western Mich.	783	3569	4.6	22	324.5
Kent	804	3350	4.2	25	304.5
Eastern Mich.	747	3305	4.4	21	300.5
Ball State	799	3279	4.1	18	298.1
No. Illinois	764	3214	4.2	20	292.2
Ohio	784	2921	3.7	21	265.5
Toledo	755	2805	3.7	15	255.0

RUSHING OFFENSE

	Plays	Yards	YPP	TD	YPG
No. Illinois	567	2020	3.6	15	183.7
Miami	468	1999	4.3	19	181.7
Central Mich.	501	1714	3.4	11	171.4
Western Mich.	482	1707	3.5	10	155.2
Eastern Mich.	458	1551	3.4	11	141.0
Kent	509	1373	2.7	16	126.6
Bowling Green	378	1304	3.4	22	118.5
Ball State	501	1303	2.6	8	118.5
Toledo	426	1074	2.5	8	97.6
Ohio	379	809	2.1	7	73.5

TOTAL DEFENSE

	Plays	Yards	YPP	TD	YPG
Toledo	766	2873	3.8	20	261.1
Central Mich.	676	2707	4.0	16	270.7
Western Mich.	773	3432	4.4	27	312.0
Bowling Green	795	3512	4.4	18	319.3
Miami	802	3549	4.4	26	322.6
Kent	772	3774	4.9	31	343.1
Ball State	768	3798	4.9	31	345.3
Eastern Mich.	771	3979	5.2	29	361.7
No. Illinois	763	4006	5.3	30	364.2
Ohio	854	4250	5.0	36	386.4

RUSHING DEFENSE

	Plays	Yards	YPP	TD	YPG
Toledo	462	1345	2.9	11	122.3
Ball State	440	1375	3.1	11	125.0
Central Mich.	443	1330	2.9	14	133.0
Miami	489	1488	3.0	13	135.3
No. Illinois	434	1573	3.6	15	143.0
Bowling Green	492	1584	3.2	6	144.0
Kent	483	1818	3.8	17	165.3
Ohio	529	1851	3.5	22	168.3
Western Mich.	510	1912	3.7	20	173.8
Eastern Mich.	510	2003	3.9	13	182.0

PASSING OFFENSE

	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	YPG
Bowling Green	394	239	16	.607	2856	20	259.6
Ohio	404	203	30	.502	2112	14	192.0
Ball State	299	167	15	.560	1976	10	179.6
Kent	295	155	13	.525	1957	9	177.9
Western Mich.	301	161	18	.535	1862	12	169.3
Central Mich.	234	122	14	.522	1669	13	166.9
Miami	259	149	15	.575	1758	8	159.8
Eastern Mich.	289	153	15	.547	1754	10	159.5
Toledo	329	172	16	.523	1731	5	157.4
No. Illinois	197	97	11	.492	1194	5	108.5

PASSING DEFENSE

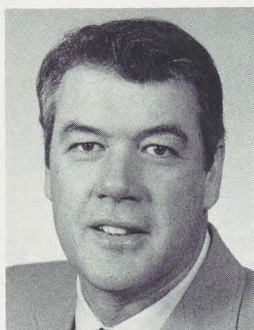
	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	YPG
Central Mich.	233	128	14	.549	1377	2	137.7
Toledo	304	144	15	.536	1520	7	138.2
Western Mich.	263	141	15	.536	1520	7	138.2
Bowling Green	303	151	18	.498	1928	11	175.3
Kent	289	155	15	.536	1956	14	177.8
Eastern Mich.	261	147	12	.563	1976	16	179.6
Miami	313	161	20	.514	2061	11	187.4
Ohio	325	192	18	.591	2399	14	218.1
Ball State	328	197	8	.601	2423	20	220.3
No. Illinois	329	176	18	.535	2433	15	221.2

SCORING OFFENSE

	TD	KX	OX	FG	SA	PTS	PPG
Bowling Green	46	40	0	10	1	348	31.6
Miami	30	28	1	18	1	266	24.2
Central Mich.	24	22	0	7	1	194	19.4
Kent	27	26	0	8	0	212	19.3
Ball State	18	12	2	25	2	203	18.5
Eastern Mich.	22	16	1	12	1	188	17.1
Western Mich.	24	19	1	5	1	182	16.5
Ohio	22	20	0	9	1	181	16.5
No. Illinois	22	19	1	7	0	174	15.8
Toledo	15	14	0	9	2	135	12.3

SCORING DEFENSE

	TD	KX	OX	FG	SA	PTS	PPG
Central Mich.	17	15	0	8	1	143	14.3
Bowling Green	18	16	0	16	0	172	15.6
Toledo	20	18	1	15	1	187	17.0
Miami	26	23	1	10	0	211	19.2
Western Mich.	27	23	0	9	0	212	19.3
Eastern Mich.	30	28	1	14	0	252	22.9
No. Illinois	31	28	0	15	0	259	23.5
Kent	34	29	1	12	3	277	25.2
Ball State	36	28	1	11	2	283	25.7
Ohio	39	34	2	11	0	305	27.7



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1985 All-MAC Team

First Team Offense

WR	Stan Hunter (BGSU)
WR	Jim Kilbane (Kent)
OT	Dan Dalrymple (Miami)
OT	Todd Peat (No. Ill.)
OG	Mike Estep (BGSU)
OG	Rick Poljan (Cen. Mich.)
C	Craig Kantner (Ball St.)
TE	Glen Hirschfeld (Miami)
QB	Brian McClure (BGSU)
RB	George Swann (Miami)
RB	Bernard White (BGSU)
RB	Jesse Owens (Ohio)
PK	John Diettrich (Ball St.)

First Team Defense

OLB	Bob Beemer (Toledo)
OLB	Steve Sklenar (Cen. Mich.)
DL	Doug Bartlett (No. Ill.)
DL	Brent Williams (Toledo)
DL	Lee Bullington (Kent)
DL	Mark Garalczyk (W. Mich.)
ILB	John Offerdahl (W. Mich.)
ILB	Tim Inglis (Toledo)
DB	Melvin Marshall (BGSU)
DB	Ken Luckett (W. Mich.)
DB	Carl Kloosterman (Cen. Mich.)
DB	Harold McGuire (Toledo)
P	Greg A. Johnson (BGSU)

Second Team Offense

WR	Greg Meehan (BGSU)
WR	Paul Sorce (W. Mich.)
OT	Mark Nelson (BGSU)
OT	Brian Williams (Cen. Mich.)
OG	Dave Bittner (BGSU)
OG	Terry Hemmelgarn (Toledo)
C	Eric Helgesen (BGSU)
TE	Ron Duncan (Ball St.)
QB	Terry Morris (Miami)
RB	Gary Patton (E. Mich.)
RB	Lewis Howard (W. Mich.)
RB	George Schmelzle (BGSU)
PK	Paul Silvi (BGSU)
PK	Gary Gussman (Miami)

Second Team Defense

OLB	Roy Swoape (W. Mich.)
OLB	Chris Hartman (BGSU)
DL	Scott Kellar (No. Ill.)
DL	Vince Villanucci (BGSU)
DL	Mike Foor (BGSU)
DL	Andy Marlatt (Miami)
ILB	Troy Dawson (BGSU)
ILB	Brad Saar (Ball St.)
DB	Dean Bryson (BGSU)
DB	Dennis Robinson (W. Mich.)
DB	Dexter Clark (Toledo)
DB	Mike Skiver (E. Mich.)
P	Bob Hirschmann (E. Mich.)

Honorable Mention (Bowling Green only)

TE	Gerald Bayless (BGSU)
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Final 1985 MAC Individual Statistics

PASSING EFFICIENCY

	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	TD	CPG	P. Eff.
1 Brian McClure (BGSU)	371	226	16	.609	2674	18	20.5	128.85
2 Terry Morris (MU)	202	121	11	.599	1471	6	11.0	119.98
3 Wade Kosakowski (BSU)	242	140	11	.579	1614	8	14.0	115.62
4 Chris Conklin (WMU)	244	133	10	.545	1574	10	12.1	114.02
5 Steve Poth (KSU)	184	98	9	.533	1221	5	12.3	108.19
6 Ron Fillmore (CMU)	185	94	14	.508	1191	7	11.8	102.24
7 Ron Adams (EMU)	167	91	11	.545	977	5	11.4	100.34
8 Marshall Taylor (NIU)	186	94	10	.505	1162	4	8.5	99.36
9 Dennis Swearingen (OU)	383	195	26	.509	2056	13	17.7	93.63
10 A.J. Sager (UT)	253	130	12	.514	1335	4	14.4	91.44

TOTAL OFFENSE

	Plays	Yards	Avg.	TD	YPG
1 Brian McClure (BGSU)	413	2585	6.3	18	235.0
2 Dennis Swearingen (OU)	387	1942	5.1	15	176.5
3 Ron Fillmore (CMU)	260	1301	5.0	7	162.6
4 Wade Kosakowski (BSU)	299	1565	5.2	9	156.5
5 Marshall Taylor (NIU)	370	1600	4.3	10	145.5
6 Steve Poth (KSU)	240	1161	4.8	7	145.1
7 Chris Conklin (WMU)	284	1548	5.5	10	140.7
8 George Swann (MU)	312	1511	4.8	12	137.4
9 A.J. Sager (UT)	287	1213	4.2	4	134.8
10 Terry Morris (MU)	233	1351	5.8	6	122.8

ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE

	Rush	Rec.	PR	KOR	Total	Avg.
1 George Swann (MU)	1511	424	0	17	1952	177.5
2 Gary Patton (EMU)	631	250	0	339	1220	110.9
3 Lewis Howard (WMU)	819	47	0	316	1182	107.5
4 Bernard White (BGSU)	949	228	0	0	1177	107.0
5 Kelvin Farmer (UT)	748	218	0	114	1080	98.2
6 Curt Pardridge (NIU)	171	409	0	483	1063	96.6
7 Eric Wilkerson (KSU)	594	49	0	383	1026	93.3
8 Otis Cheatham (WMU)	683	107	0	83	873	87.3
9 Tony Brown (CMU)	655	133	0	53	841	84.1
10 Eddie Harris (UT)	219	107	154	445	925	84.1

RUSHING

	Plays	Yards	Avg.	TD	YPG
1 George Swann (MU)	309	1511	4.9	12	137.4
2 Bernard White (BGSU)	221	949	4.3	18	86.3
3 Lewis Howard (WMU)	177	819	4.6	6	74.5
4 Otis Cheatham (WMU)	189	683	3.6	2	68.3
5 Kelvin Farmer (UT)	229	748	3.3	6	68.0
6 Carlton Campbell (BSU)	204	747	3.7	3	67.9
7 Tony Brown (CMU)	174	655	3.8	6	65.5
8 Jesse Owens (OU)	209	709	3.4	3	64.5
9 Eric Wilkerson (KSU)	131	594	4.5	8	59.4
10 Gary Patton (EMU)	142	631	4.4	5	57.4

PUNTING

	No.	Yards	Avg.
1 Mike Kent (NIU)	52	2170	41.7
2 Jim Klapthor (WMU)	77	3161	41.1
3 Rob Hirschmann (EMU)	58	2377	40.9
4 Greg Johnson (BGSU)	60	2450	40.8
5 Art McCormick (OU)	72	2959	40.6
6 John Diettrich (BSU)	60	2366	40.1
7 Doug Kolesar (MU)	57	2185	38.3
8 Pete Cochran (UT)	46	1697	36.7
9 Andy Logan (KSU)	63	2271	36.0
10 Brian McPherson (CMU)	61	2169	35.6

PASS RECEIVING

	No.	Yards	TD	YPC	CPG
1 Stan Hunter (BGSU)	55	761	7	13.8	5.0
2 Jim Kilbane (KSU)	53	806	4	15.2	4.8
3 Paul Sorce (WMU)	47	567	0	12.1	4.3
4 Tom Compennolle (OU)	46	524	6	11.4	4.2
5 Deon Chester (BSU)	45	617	0	15.7	4.1
6 Ron Duncan (BSU)	44	518	4	11.8	4.0
George Swann (MU)	44	424	4	9.6	4.0
8 Greg Meehan (BGSU)	38	646	4	17.0	3.5
9 Gerald Bayless (BGSU)	37	425	3	11.5	3.4
10 Bernard White (BGSU)	33	228	1	6.9	3.0

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yards	TD	Avg.
1 Marcus Mathews (EMU)	12	145	0	12.1
2 Shawn Bonner (OU)	24	204	0	8.5
3 Rodney Taylor (NIU)	22	186	1	8.5
4 Derrick Nix (KSU)	20	163	0	8.2
5 Don Kolchhoff (CMU)	16	127	0	7.9
6 Jack Arthur (MU)	30	220	0	7.3
7 Eddie Harris (UT)	24	154	0	6.4
8 Ken Rankin (BGSU)	12	64	0	5.3
9 Ken Luckett (WMU)	19	81	0	4.3
10 Burt Austin (BSU)	27	115	0	4.3

SCORING

	TD	XPT	FG	PTS	PPG
1 Bernard White (BGSU)	19	0	0	114	10.4
2 George Swann (MU)	16	0	0	96	8.7
3 John Diettrich (BSU)	0	12	25	87	7.9
4 Gary Gussman (MU)	0	28	18	82	7.5
5 Paul Silvi (BGSU)	0	40	10	70	6.4
6 Tony Brown (CMU)	8	0	0	48	4.8
Eric Wilkerson (KSU)	8	0	0	48	4.8
8 Chris Judge (OU)	0	20	9	47	4.3
9 Burt Austin (BSU)	7	0	0	42	3.8

FIELD GOALS

	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FG/GM
1 John Diettrich (BSU)	25-29	.867	2.27
2 Gary Gussman (MU)	18-26	.692	1.64
3 Paul Silvi (BGSU)	10-12	.833	0.91
4 Chris Judge (OU)	9-13	.692	0.82
Bruce Nichols (UT)	9-15	.600	0.82
6 Bob Forester (NIU)	7-13	.538	0.64
Jim Nimitz (KSU)	7-15	.467	0.64
Don Vesling (EMU)	7-11	.636	0.64
9 John Creek (WMU)	5-8	.625	0.45

Falcon All-Time MAC Record

	W	L	T	Finish		W	L	T	Finish
1952	2	2	0	4th (tie)	1969	4	1	0	2nd
1953	0	4	0	7th	1970	1	4	0	5th (tie)
1954	0	6	0	8th	1971	4	1	0	2nd
1955	4	1	1	2nd (tie)	1972	3	1	1	2nd
1956	5	0	1	1st	1973	2	3	0	3rd (tie)
1957	3	1	2	2nd (tie)	1974	2	3	0	4th (tie)
1958	4	2	0	3rd	1975	4	2	0	3rd (tie)
1959	6	0	0	1st	1976	4	3	0	5th (tie)
1960	5	1	0	2nd	1977	4	3	0	4th (tie)
1961	5	1	0	1st	1978	3	5	0	5th (tie)
1962	5	0	1	1st	1979	3	5	0	8th
1963	4	2	0	3rd	1980	4	4	0	7th
1964	5	1	0	1st	1981	5	3	1	4th
1965	5	1	0	1st (tie)	1982	7	2	0	1st
1966	4	2	0	3rd	1983	7	2	0	2nd (tie)
1967	2	4	0	5th	1984	7	2	0	2nd
1968	3	2	1	3rd (tie)					

Bowling Green's All-MAC Players

First Team

1952
Jim Ladd (E)
Fred Durig (HB)

1953
Jim Ladd (E)

1954
Jack Hecker (E)

1955
Jack Hecker (E)
Kenneth Russell (T)
Fred Koch (T)

1956
Kenneth Russell (T)
Tim Murnen (G)
Harold Peek (C)
Vic DeOrio (HB)
Jack Giroux (FB)

1957
Tim Murnen (G)
Larry Baker (T)
Ray Reese (E)

1958
Ray Reese (G)
Bob Zimpfer (T)
Tom Colaner (E)

1959
Ron Blackledge (E)
Bob Zimpfer (T)
Bob Colburn (QB)
Bernie Casey (HB)

1960
Jerry Croft (T)
Jerry Colander (G)

1961
Dick Newsome (E)
Jerry Croft (T)
Gary Sherman (G)

1962
Bob Reynolds (T)
Gary Sherman (G)
Ed Bettridge (C)
Don Libson (HB)
Asa Elsea (K)

1963
Jay Cunningham (HB)

1964
Jan Cunningham (HB)
Jerry Jones (T)
Tom Reicosky (HB)
Jamie Rivers (E)
Stew Williams (FB)
Heath Wingate (C)
Jim Wisser (FB)

1965
Tony Fire (T)
Jamie Rivers (E)
Joe Souliere (HB)
Mike Weger (HB)
Stew Williams (FB)
Heath Wingate (C)

1966
Jamie Rivers (E)
Dick Wagoner (DB)
Mike Weger (DB)
Heath Wingate (C)

1967
Charles Burley (LB)

1968
Eddie Jones (SE)
Joe Green (MG)

1969
Joe Green (MG)
Bob Zimpfer (FL)
Phil Villapiano (DE)
Honester Davidson (DB)

1970
Phil Villapiano (DE)
Dave Finley (G)

1971
Paul Miles (TB)
John Czerwinski (T)
Dennis Maupin (C)

1972
Paul Miles (TB)
John Czerwinski (T)
Fred Sturt (G)
Tom Hall (DT)

1973
Paul Miles (TB)
Phil Polak (FB)

1974
Dave Preston (RB)

1975
Steve Studer (C)

1976
John Obrock (T)

1978
Jeff Groth (FL)
Mike Wright (QB)

1979
John Spengler (K)

1980
John Spengler (K)
Todd Gates (DT)

1981
Martin Bayless (DB)
Bryant Jones (RB)
Jim Phelps (P)

1982
Martin Bayless (DB)
Mark Emans (LB)
Brian McClure (QB)
Jim Phelps (P)
Shawn Potts (WR)
Andre Young (DT)

1983
Martin Bayless (DB)
Mark Dowdell (TE)
Mark Emans (LB)
Brian McClure (QB)
Jim Phelps (P)

1984
Brian McClure (QB)
Brian Johnson (C)
Stan Hunter (WR)
Mark Dowdell (TE)
Melvin Marshall (DB)
Bernard White (TB)

1985
Stan Hunter (WR)
Mike Estep (OG)
Brian McClure (QB)
Bernard White (RB)
Melvin Marshall (DB)
Greg A. Johnson (P)

Second Team

1953
Bill Bradshaw (QB)

1954
Tom Kisselle (E)

1955
Tim Murnen (G)
Jim Bryan (QB)
Carlos Jackson (HB)
Tom Kisselle (E)

1956
Don Nehlen (QB)

1957
Don Nehlen (QB)
Vic DeOrio (HB)
Bob Ramlow (HB)

1958
Jerry Roberts (E)
Bob Colburn (QB)
Bob Ramlow (HB)
Harold Furcron (HB)

1959
Chuck Ramsey (G)
Russ Hepner (HB)
Jerry Dianiska (FB)

1960
Bob Bird (T)
Jim Potts (QB)
Don Lisbon (HB)

1961
Bob Reynolds (T)
Jim Potts (QB)
Russ Hepner (HB)
Roger Reynolds (HB)
Lou Youskievicz (C)

1962
Jay Cunningham (HB)

1963
Tom Sims (E)
Bill Violet (G)
Jim Wisser (FB)

1966
Eddie Jones (E)
Henry Orr (T)
Roger Schmidt (G)
Joe Siesel (LB)
Dave Seiter (E)
Joe Souliere (S)

1967
Joe Green (MG)
Dennis Zolciak (LB)

1968
Larry Watson (C)
Tom Standring (E)
Dave Reese (T)
Dennis Zolciak (LB)
Dave Polak (LB)
Jerry Machovina (HB)

1969
Carl Battershell (T)
Dave Finley (G)
Vern Wireman (QB)
Tom Lloyd (T)
Bob Simmons (LB)

1970
Bob Simmons (LB)
Tom Merlitti (LB)
Laurie Kelly (S)

1971
Jerry Fields (FB)
Fred Sturt (G)
Larren Meador (DT)
Julius Livas (DB)

1972
John Villapiano (LB)
Earl Hargrove (MG)
Myron Wilson (DB)
Bill Pittman (WB)
Phil Polak (FB)
Greg Meczka (TE)

1973
Roger Wallace (SE)
John Jacquot (T)
Kevin Taylor (DE)
Tom Hall (DT)

1974
Steve Studer (C)
Dave Kulik (G)
Gene Jones (T)
Dave Brown (MG)
Bill Whidden (DE)
Jim Reynolds (LB)
Art Thompson (DB)

1975
Dan Saleet (FB)
Dave Preston (TB)
Gene Jones (OT)
Dave Brown (MG)
Sherrill Jackson (DB)

1976
Jeff Groth (SE)
Mark Miller (QB)
Dave Preston (RB)
Alex Prosak (DT)
Greg Kampe (DB)

1977
Greg Kampe (DB)
Jack Williams (DT)
Doug Smith (OG)
Jeff Groth (WR)

1978
Dirk Abernathy (DB)

1979
Bob Harris (OT)
Dan Shetler (WR)
Tim Ross (DE)

1980
Martin Bayless (DB)
Dean Hull (OG)
Dan Shetler (WR)

1981
Pat Kennedy (DE)
Jac Tomasello (DB)
Craig Valentine (DT)

1982
Greg King (OG)
John Meek (TE)
Chip Otten (TB)
Greg Taylor (WR)
Stu Tolle (DT)

1983
Stan Hunter (WR)
Melvin Marshall (DB)

1984
Greg King (OG)
Shawn Simms (DE)
Joe Prchlik (NT)
Troy Dawson (LB)
Greg A. Johnson (P)

1985
Greg Meehan (WR)
Mark Nelson (OT)
Dave Bittner (OG)
Eric Helgesen (C)
George Schmelzle (RB)
Paul Silvi (PK)
Chris Hartman (OLB)
Vince Villanucci (DL)
Mike Foor (DL)
Troy Dawson (ILB)
Dean Bryson (DB)

Past Scores With 1986 Opponents

Ball State

BG Leads 9-3-0

1942	BG	26	BSU	14	1980	BG	24	BSU	21
1946	BG	13	BSU	0	1981	BG	14	BSU	10
1968	BG	62	BSU	8	1982	BG	28	BSU	7
1975	BSU	27	BG	20	1983	BG	45	BSU	30
1978	BSU	39	BG	14	1984	BG	38	BSU	13
1979	BSU	38	BG	23	1985	BG	31	BSU	6

Miami

Miami Leads 28-12-3

1941	BG	9	MU	0	1965	MU	23	BG	7
1942	BG	7	MU	6	1966	BG	17	MU	14
1943	MU	45	BG	6	1967	MU	9	BG	7
1944	MU	28	BG	6	1968	MU	31	BG	7
1945	MU	26	BG	0	1969	BG	3	MU	0
1946	MU	6	BG	0	1970	MU	7	BG	3
1947	MU	33	BG	19	1971	BG	33	MU	7
1950	MU	54	BG	6	1972	BG	16	MU	7
1951	MU	46	BG	7	1973	MU	31	BG	8
1952	MU	42	BG	7	1974	MU	34	BG	10
1953	MU	47	BG	0	1975	MU	20	BG	17
1954	MU	46	BG	47	1976	MU	9	BG	7
1955	MU	7	BG	0	1977	MU	33	BG	13
1956	BG	7	MU	7	1978	MU	18	BG	7
1957	MU	13	BG	7	1979	MU	21	BG	3
1958	MU	28	BG	14	1980	MU	7	BG	3
1959	BG	33	MU	16	1981	BG	7	MU	7
1960	BG	21	MU	12	1982	MU	17	BG	12
1961	MU	7	BG	6	1983	BG	17	MU	14
1962	BG	24	MU	24	1984	BG	41	MU	10
1963	MU	21	BG	12	1985	BG	28	MU	24
1964	BG	21	MU	18					

Western Michigan

BG Leads 24-6-2

1954	WMU	20	BG	15	1970	WMU	23	BG	3
1955	BG	35	WMU	0	1971	BG	23	WMU	6
1956	BG	27	WMU	13	1972	BG	13	WMU	13
1957	BG	14	WMU	14	1973	BG	31	WMU	20
1958	BG	40	WMU	6	1974	BG	21	WMU	13
1959	BG	34	WMU	0	1975	BG	28	WMU	0
1960	BG	14	WMU	13	1976	BG	31	WMU	28
1961	BG	21	WMU	0	1977	BG	34	WMU	14
1962	BG	10	WMU	6	1978	WMU	24	BG	20
1963	BG	16	WMU	7	1979	BG	15	WMU	3
1964	BG	28	WMU	8	1980	BG	17	WMU	14
1965	BG	21	WMU	17	1981	WMU	21	BG	7
1966	WMU	16	BG	14	1982	BG	7	WMU	3
1967	WMU	10	BG	6	1983	BG	23	WMU	20
1968	BG	17	WMU	10	1984	BG	34	WMU	7
1969	BG	21	WMU	10	1985	BG	48	WMU	7

Eastern Michigan

BG Leads 13-7-1

1919	EMU	10	BG	0	1976	BG	53	EMU	12
1920	EMU	45	BG	0	1977	EMU	16	BG	6
1925	EMU	14	BG	0	1978	BG	43	EMU	6
1929	EMU	34	BG	7	1979	BG	32	EMU	6
1936	BG	6	EMU	0	1980	EMU	18	BG	16
1937	EMU	25	BG	0	1981	BG	28	EMU	0
1938	BG	7	EMU	7	1982	BG	24	EMU	7
1939	BG	23	EMU	13	1983	BG	26	EMU	21
1940	BG	15	EMU	0	1984	BG	35	EMU	27
1941	BG	20	EMU	6	1985	BG	42	EMU	24
1973	BG	31	EMU	7					

Central Michigan

BG Leads 12-10-0

1924	CMU	21	BG	0	1952	BG	20	CMU	7
1926	BG	13	CMU	0	1976	CMU	38	BG	28
1931	BG	6	CMU	0	1977	CMU	35	BG	28
1943	BG	36	CMU	0	1978	CMU	38	BG	7
1944	BG	20	CMU	19	1979	CMU	24	BG	0
1945	BG	19	CMU	6	1980	CMU	32	BG	10
1946	CMU	7	BG	0	1981	CMU	6	BG	3
1947	BG	20	CMU	19	1982	BG	34	CMU	30
1948	BG	13	CMU	12	1983	BG	15	CMU	14
1949	BG	20	CMU	0	1984	CMU	42	BG	21
1950	CMU	12	BG	0	1985	BG	23	CMU	18

Kent State

BG Leads 36-12-6

1920	BG	7	KSU	0	1959	BG	25	KSU	8
1921	BG	0	KSU	0	1960	BG	28	KSU	0
1922	BG	6	KSU	0	1961	BG	21	KSU	6
1927	BG	13	KSU	0	1962	BG	45	KSU	6
1928	BG	6	KSU	6	1963	BG	18	KSU	3
1934	BG	0	KSU	0	1964	BG	41	KSU	0
1935	KSU	45	BG	0	1965	BG	7	KSU	6
1936	KSU	6	BG	0	1966	KSU	35	BG	13
1937	BG	13	KSU	13	1967	BG	7	KSU	6
1938	KSU	7	BG	3	1968	BG	0	KSU	0
1939	BG	34	KSU	0	1969	BG	7	KSU	0
1940	KSU	13	BG	0	1970	BG	44	KSU	0
1941	BG	12	KSU	6	1971	BG	46	KSU	33
1942	KSU	7	BG	0	1972	KSU	14	BG	10
1946	BG	13	KSU	0	1973	KSU	21	BG	7
1947	BG	21	KSU	18	1974	BG	26	KSU	10
1948	BG	23	KSU	14	1975	BG	35	KSU	9
1949	BG	27	KSU	6	1976	BG	17	KSU	13
1950	KSU	19	BG	6	1977	BG	14	KSU	10
1951	BG	27	KSU	27	1978	BG	28	KSU	20
1952	BG	44	KSU	21	1979	BG	28	KSU	17
1953	KSU	41	BG	7	1980	BG	24	KSU	3
1954	KSU	28	BG	25	1981	BG	13	KSU	7
1955	BG	6	KSU	6	1982	BG	41	KSU	7
1956	BG	17	KSU	0	1983	BG	38	KSU	3
1957	BG	13	KSU	7	1984	BG	27	KSU	10
1958	KSU	8	BG	7	1985	BG	26	KSU	14

Northern Illinois

BG Leads 7-2-0

1967	BG	17	NIU	7	1982	BG	20	NIU	18
1968	NIU	7	BG	6	1983	NIU	24	BG	23
1969	BG	38	NIU	23	1984	BG	28	NIU	6
1973	BG	21	NIU	20	1985	BG	34	NIU	14
1981	BG	17	NIU	10					

Toledo

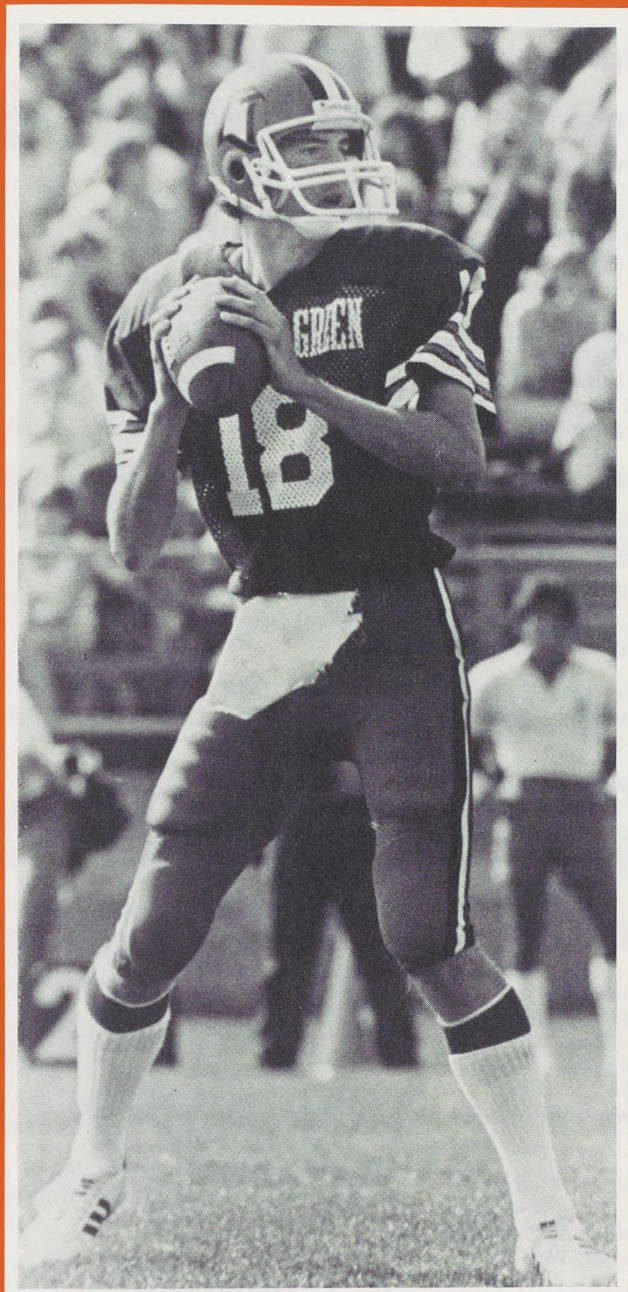
BG Leads 27-19-4

1919	UT	6	BG	0	1961	BG	17	UT	6
1921	BG	20	UT	7	1962	BG	28	UT	13
1922	BG	6	UT	6	1963	BG	22	UT	20
1923	UT	27	BG	0	1964	BG	31	UT	14
1924	UT	12	BG	7	1965	BG	21	UT	14
1928	BG	14	UT	0	1966	BG	14	UT	13
1929	BG	0	UT	0	1967	UT	33	BG	0
1930	BG	0	UT	0	1968	BG	0	UT	0
1932	BG	12	UT	6	1969	UT	27	BG	26
1933	UT	26	BG	7	1970	UT	20	BG	0
1934	UT	22	BG	0	1971	UT	24	BG	7
1935	UT	63	BG	0	1972	BG	19	UT	8
1948	BG	21	UT	6	1973	BG	49	UT	35
1949	UT	20	BG	19	1974	UT	24	BG	19
1950	BG	39	UT	14	1975	BG	34	UT	17
1951	UT	12	BG	6	1976	BG	29	UT	28
1952	BG	29	UT	19	1977	BG	21	UT	13
1953	UT	20	BG	19	1978	BG	45	UT	27
1954	UT	38	BG	7	1979	UT	23	BG	17
1955	BG	39	UT	0	1980	BG	17	UT	6
1956	BG	34	UT	12	1981	BG	38	UT	0
1957	BG	29	UT	0	1982	UT	24	BG	10
1958	BG	31	UT	16	1983	UT	6	BG	3
1959	BG	51	UT	21	1984	UT	17	BG	6
1960	BG	14	UT	3	1985	BG	21	UT	0

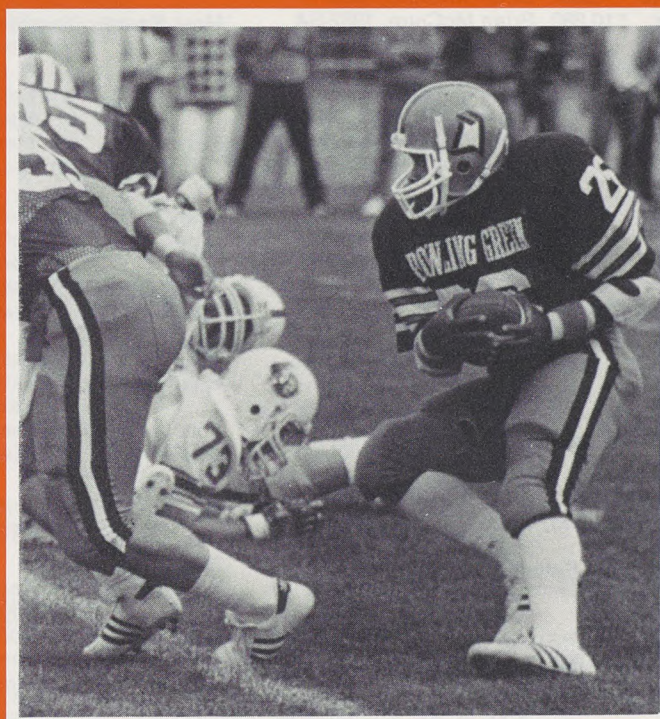
Ohio University

BG Leads 20-17-1

1945	BG	6	Ohio	0	1967	Ohio	31	BG	7
1947	BG	2	Ohio	0	1968	Ohio	28	BG	27
1948	BG	13	Ohio	7	1969	BG	23	Ohio	16
1951	Ohio	28	BG	7	1970	Ohio	34	BG	7
1952	Ohio	33	BG	14	1971	BG	20	Ohio	19
1953	Ohio	22	BG	14	1972	BG	17	Ohio	0
1954	Ohio	26	BG	14	1973	Ohio	24	BG	23
1955	BG	13	Ohio	0	1974	Ohio	33	BG	22
1956	BG	41	Ohio	27	1975	BG	19	Ohio	17
1957	BG	7	Ohio	7	1976	Ohio	31	BG	26
1958	BG	33	Ohio	6	1977	BG	39	Ohio	27
1959	BG	13	Ohio	9	1978	Ohio	19	BG	15
1960	Ohio	14	BG	7	1979	Ohio	48	BG	21
1961	BG	7	Ohio	6	1980	Ohio	21	BG	20
1962	BG	7	Ohio	6	1981	Ohio	23	BG	21
1963	Ohio	16	BG	0	1982	BG	40	Ohio	0
1964	Ohio	21	BG	0	1983	BG	24	Ohio	20
1965	BG	17	Ohio	7	1984	BG	28	Ohio	7
1966	BG	28	Ohio	0	1985	BG	38	Ohio	17



Brian McClure



Bernard White

Individual Records

Rushing

Most Rushing Attempts

Game: 46 Bryant Jones vs. Kent St., 1981
Season: 324 Dave Preston, 1974
Career: 830 Dave Preston, 1973-76

Most Net Yards Rushing

Game: 225 Darryl Story vs. Ball St., 1983
Season: 1444 Fred Durig, 1951
Career: 3423 Dave Preston, 1973-76

Most Touchdowns Rushing

Game: *5 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
Season: *19 Dave Preston, 1974
Career: *39 Dave Preston, 1973-76

Passing

Most Passes Attempted

Game: 59 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1983
Season: *466 Brian McClure, 1983
Career: \$*1427 Brian McClure, 1982-85

Most Passes Completed

Game: *37 Brian McClure vs. Eastern Michigan, 1983
Season: *298 Brian McClure, 1983
Career: \$*900 Brian McClure, 1982-85

Most Yards Passing

Game: 479 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985
Season: *3264 Brian McClure, 1983
Career: *10,280 Brian McClure, 1982-SA

Most Passes Had Intercepted

Game: 5 Brian McClure vs. Eastern Michigan, 1983, Miami, 1982, Akron, 1985 and Ohio, 1985
5 Mark Miller vs. Hawaii, 1977
Season: 16 Brian McClure, 1983
Career: *58 Brian McClure, 1982-85

Most Touchdown Passes

Game: *4 Brian McClure vs. Richmond, Ball State, 1984
*4 Mike Wright vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
*4 Mark Miller vs. Central Mich., 1977
Season: *21 Brian McClure, 1984
Career: *63 Brian McClure, 1982-85

Best Passing Percentage

Game: .917 Jim Bryan vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1955 (11-12)
Season: .703 Jim Bryan, 1955 (45-64)
Career: *.631 Brian McClure, 1982-85 (900-1427)

* Indicates MAC Record Also
\$ Indicates NCAA Record Also

Scoring

Most Touchdowns

Game: *5 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
+8 Orville Raberding vs. Findlay, 1921
Season: *19 Dave Preston, 1974 and Bernard White, 1985
Career: *41 Dave Preston, 1973-76

Most Points Scored

Game: *30 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
Season: 114 Dave Preston, 1974 and Bernard White, 1985
Career: 246 Dave Preston, 1973-76

Most Extra Point Attempts

Game: 9 Al Silva vs. Ball St., 1968
Season: 40 Paul Silvi, 1985
Career: 113 Don Taylor, 1972-75

Most Extra Points Made

Game: 8 Al Silva vs. Ball St., 1968
8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966
Season: 40 Paul Silvi, 1985
Career: 101 John Spengler, 1977-80

Most Field Goals Made

Game: 4 Don Taylor vs. Toledo, 1974
Season: 16 Gehad Youssef, 1983
Career: 44 Gehad Youssef, 1981-84

Receiving

Most Passes Caught

Game: 13 Mark Dowdell vs. C. Michigan, 1983; Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1969
Season: 70 Mark Dowdell, 1983
Career: *176 Stan Hunter, 1982-85

Most Yards Gained

Game: 188 Jeff Groth vs. Kent St., 1978
Season: 1107 Stan Hunter, 1983
Career: *2679 Stan Hunter, 1982-85

Most Touchdown Passes

Game: *4 Jeff Groth vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
Season: 11 Jim Ladd, 1952
Career: 21 Stan Hunter, 1982-85

Punting

Most Attempts

Game: 11 Tom Lawrence (3 times)
11 Jim Phelps, Miami, 1981
Season: 80 Tom Lawrence, 1969
80 Jim Phelps, 1981
Career: 219 Jim Phelps, 1981-83

Most Yards

Game: 431 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1969
Season: 3221 Jim Phelps, 1981
Career: 8955 Jim Phelps, 1981-83

Best Average

Game: *57.5 Greg Kampe vs. S. Mississippi, 1975
Season: 44.0 Bill Bradshaw, 1953
Career: *42.2 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54

Total Offense

Most Plays

Game: 69 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1983
Season: *538 Brian McClure, 1983
Career: \$*1630 Brian McClure, 1982-85

Yards Gained

Game: *471 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985
Season: *3009 Brian McClure, 1983
Career: *9774 Brian McClure, 1984-85

Kick Returns

Most Punt Returns

Game: 10 Bob Harris vs. C. Michigan, 1950
Season: 26 Bill Pittman, 1971
Career: 72 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69

Most Yards Returned (Punts)

Game: 152 Bob Zimpfer vs. Quantico Marine, 1967
Season: 379 Bob Zimpfer, 1967
Career: 958 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69

Most Kickoff Returns

Game: 6 Shawn Potts vs. Ohio Univ., 1979
6 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio Univ., 1970
Season: 26 Dave Cassel, 1978
Career: 49 Steve Kuehl, 1973-76

Most Yards Returned (Kickoffs)

Game: 158 Steve Kuehl vs. Toledo, 1976
Season: 532 Bill Pittman, 1970
Career: 1078 Steve Kuehl, 1973-76

Interceptions

Pass Interceptions

Game: 3 Martin Bayless vs. Ball St., 1983
3 Jac Tomasello vs. Kent St., 1981
3 Shawn Simms vs. Toledo, 1981
3 Arch Tunnell vs. Cal Poly, 1960
3 Jack Harbaugh vs. Delaware, 1959
Season: 12 Max Minnich, 1948
*10 Martin Bayless, 1983
Career: *27 Martin Bayless, 1980-83

Pass Interception Yards

Game: 127 Julius Livas vs. Miami, 1971
Season: 207 Max Minnich, 1948
Career: 273 Martin Bayless, 1980-83

Team Records

Rushing

Most Attempts

Game: 79 vs. Northern Illinois, 1967
Season: 655 in 1975

Yards Lost

Game: 73 vs. Western Mich., 1965
Season: 468 in 1983 (11 games)

Fewest Yards Lost

Game: 0 vs. Miami, 1959
Season: 100 in 1964

Most Yards

Game: 496 vs. Marshall, 1968
Season: 2875 in 1956

Fewest Net Yards

Game: 13 vs. Toledo, 1969
Season: 662 in 1953

Touchdowns

Game: 10 vs. Defiance, 1956
Season: 39 in 1956

Passing

Most Attempts

Game: 59 vs. Toledo, 1983
Season: *480 in 1983 (11 games)

Most Completions

Game: *37 vs. E. Michigan, 1983
Season: *305 in 1983 (11 games)

Most Yards

Game: *479 vs. Ohio, 1985
Season: *3320 in 1983 (11 games)

Most Touchdown Passes

Game: 4 vs. Richmond, 1984
4 vs. Ball State, 1984
4 vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
4 vs. Central Mich., 1977
Season: *21 in 1984

Most Passes Intercepted

Game: 6 vs. Hawaii, 1977
Season: 20 in 1970

Fewest Completions

Game: 0 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1954
Season: 26 in 1950

Fewest Yards

Game: 0 vs. Kent St., 1955
0 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1954
0 vs. Ohio Univ., 1947
Season: 334 in 1950

Best Percentage

Game: .929 vs. Baldwin-Wallace
(13-14), 1955
Season: *.637 in 1984 (265-416)

Worst Percentage

Game: .125 vs. Dayton (2-16), 1970
Season: .288 in 1950

Total Offense

Most Plays

Game: 99 vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
99 vs. East Carolina, 1971
Season: 898 in 1977 (12 games)

Most Yards

Game: *706 vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
Season: 4437 in 1977 (12 games)

Fewest Plays

Game: 38 vs. Ohio Univ., 1954
38 vs. Ohio Univ., 1947
Season: 474 in 1953

Fewest Yards

Game: 72 vs. Miami, 1951

Scoring

Most Touchdowns

Game: 22 vs. Findlay, 1921
Season: 46 in 1956 and 1985

Most Points

Game: 151 vs. Findlay, 1921
Season: 348 in 1985

Points in One Half

Game: 43 vs. Toledo, 1959

Points in One Quarter

Game: *29 vs. Kent St., 1971 (4th)

Extra Point Attempts

Game: 22 vs. Findlay, 1921
Season: 46 in 1956 and 1985

Extra Points Made

Game: 19 vs. Findlay, 1921
Season: 40 in 1985

Field Goals Made

Game: 4 vs. Toledo, 1974
Season: 16 in 1983

Most Points Two Teams

Game: 151 Findlay vs. BG, 1921
91 Brigham Young vs. BG,
1983

First Downs

Total First Downs

Game: 32 vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
Season: 259 in 1977 (12 games)

Rushing

Game: 23 vs. Kent St., 1971
Season: 159 in 1975

Passing

Game: 19 vs. Ohio, 1985
Season: *135 in 1983

Penalty

Game: 5 vs. Kent St., 1976
Season: 22 in 1979, 1977, and 1974

Fumbles

Total Fumbles

Game: 8 vs. Marshall, 1969
8 vs. Defiance, 1956
Season: 39 in 1977

Fumbles Lost

Game: 5 vs. Marshall, 1969
5 vs. Miami, 1950
Season: 24 in 1978

Fumbles Recovered

Game: 6 vs. Ohio Univ., 1977
Season: 27 in 1952

Fewest Fumbles Lost

Season: *5 in 1985

Penalties

Most Penalties

Game: 13 vs. No. Illinois, 1984
13 vs. Eastern Mich., 1973
Season: 74 in 1983 and 1984

Yards Penalized

Game: 139 vs. East Carolina, 1971
Season: 751 in 1983

Punting

Total Punts

Game: *14 vs. Ohio Univ., 1947
Season: 81 in 1981

Yards Punting

Game: 431 vs. Toledo, 1968
Season: 3224 in 1981

Punting Average

Game: *57.5 vs. Southern Miss., 1975
Season: 44.0 in 1953

Punt Returns

Total Returns

Game: 10 vs. Central Mich., 1950
Season: 37 in 1964

Yards Returned

Game: 159 vs. Quantico Marines,
1967
Season: 434 in 1967

Kickoff Returns

Total Returns

Game: 7 vs. Tenn.-Chatt., 1976
7 vs. Ohio Univ., 1970
7 vs. Miami, 1950
Season: 49 in 1978

Yards Returned

Game: 158 vs. Toledo, 1976
Season: 834 in 1976

Opponent Records

Rushing

Most Attempts

Game: 81 by Miami, 1977
Season: 655 in 1978

Fewest Rushing Attempts

Game: 21 by Los Angeles St., 1967
Season: 316 in 1962

Yards Lost Rushing

Game: 149 by Kent St., 1960
Season: 485 in 1952

Fewest Yards Lost

Game: 0 by Ohio Univ., 1960
Season: 174 in 1960

Net Yards Rushing

Game: 435 by Central Mich., 1978
Season: 2731 in 1978

Fewest Net Yards Rushing

Season: 788 in 1962

Passing

Passing Attempts

Game: 66 by Brigham Young, 1983
Season: 398 in 1983

Pass Completions

Game: 33 by Brigham Young, 1983
Season: 207 in 1983

Fewest Attempts

Game: 3 by Northern Iowa, 1947
Season: 98 in 1954

Fewest Completions

Game: 0 by Texas-Arlington, 1975
0 by Dayton, 1965
0 by Ohio Univ., 1963
0 by Baldwin-Wallace, 1954
Season: 45 in 1955

Yards Gained

Game: 483 by Los Angeles St., 1967
Season: 2759 in 1983

Fewest Yards Gained

Season: 553 in 1955

Miscellaneous Records

Pass Interceptions

Game: 6 vs. Ball St., 1983 and
Toledo, 1948
Season: 24 in 1983

Fumbles

Game: 9 by Toledo, 1954
Season: 41 in 1977 (12 games)

Fumbles Lost

Game: 6 by Ohio Univ., 1977
6 by Xavier, 1957

6 by Ohio Wesleyan, 1952

6 by Kent St., 1951
Season: 26 in 1977 (12 games)

Pass Interception Yardage

Game: 195 vs. Toledo, 1948

Most Touchdowns

Season: 41 in 1977 (12 games)

Fewest Touchdowns

Season: 8 in 1957 and 1955

Most Points

Season: 296 in 1977 (12 games)

Fewest Points

Season: 53 in 1955

Kickoff Returns

Season: 51 in 1976 and 1975

Kickoff Return Yards

Season: 1104 in 1976

Falcon Top Five Single Game Leaders

Rushing Attempts

- 46 Bryant Jones vs. Kent St., 1981
- 41 Dave Preston vs. San Diego St., 1974
- 38 Dave Preston vs. Toledo, 1974
- 38 Paul Miles vs. Toledo, 1973
- 37 Darryl Story vs. Ball State, 1983
- 37 Bryant Jones vs. Central Mich., 1982
- 37 Dave Preston vs. S. Mississippi, 1974

Passing Attempts

- 59 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1983
- 51 Brian McClure vs. E. Michigan, 1983
- 51 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 49 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985
- 48 Brian McClure vs. W. Michigan, 1983
- 48 Vern Wireman vs. W. Texas St., 1969
- 48 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1984
- 48 Brian McClure vs. Kentucky, 1985

Touchdown Passes

- 4 Mark Miller vs. Grand Valley, 1978
- 4 Mike Wright vs. C. Michigan, 1977
- 4 Brian McClure vs. Richmond, 1984
- 4 Brian McClure vs. Ball State, 1984

Net Yards Gained Rushing

- 225 Darryl Story vs. Ball State, 1983
- 217 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
- 212 Bryant Jones vs. Kent St., 1981
- 206 Fred Durig vs. Bradley, 1951
- 205 Chip Otten vs. Eastern Mich., 1982

Pass Completions

- *37 Brian McClure vs. E. Michigan, 1983
- 35 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1983
- 34 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 31 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985
- 30 Brian McClure vs. Brigham Young, 1983
- 30 Brian McClure vs. Kentucky, 1985

Passing Percentage (10 Att.)

- .917 Jim Bryan vs. Bald-Wall., 1955 (11-12)
- .900 Bill Lyons vs. Bald-Wall., 1975
- .900 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1982
- .846 Steve Swan vs. Long Beach, 1982
- .830 Jim Bryan vs. W. Michigan, 1955

Passes Caught

- 13 Mark Dowdell vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 13 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1969
- 11 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
- 11 Bob Zimpfer vs. W. Texas St., 1969
- 11 Ed Jones vs. Ohio Univ., 1966
- 11 Jack Hecker vs. Marshall, 1955
- 11 Chip Otten vs. Fresno St., 1982

Touchdowns Scored Rushing

- *5 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
- 4 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
- 4 Julius Livas vs. Kent St., 1970
- 4 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1968
- 4 Ed Radich vs. Temple, 1966
- 4 Bernard White vs. Richmond, 1984
- 4 Bernard White vs. Eastern Mich. 1985

Yards Gained Passing

- 479 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985
- 427 Brian McClure vs. E. Michigan, 1983
- 407 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 385 Brian McClure vs. No. Illinois, 1984
- 362 Brian McClure vs. Brigham Young, 1983

Yards Gained Receiving

- 188 Jeff Groth vs. Kent St., 1978
- 175 Mark Dowdell vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 175 Stan Hunter vs. Ohio, 1985
- 171 Stan Hunter vs. Brigham Young, 1983
- 164 Bob Zimpfer vs. W. Texas St., 1969

Touchdown Passes Caught

- 4 Jeff Groth vs. Grand Valley St., 1978
- 3 Clarence Mason vs. W. Michigan, 1959
- 3 Shawn Potts vs. Kent St., 1982

Touchdowns

- *5 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
- 4 Jeff Groth vs. G. Valley St., 1978
- 4 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
- 4 Julius Livas vs. Kent St., 1970
- 4 Ed Radich vs. Temple, 1966
- 4 Bernard White vs. Richmond, 1984
- 4 Bernard White vs. E. Michigan, 1985

Points Scored

- *30 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
- 24 Jeff Groth vs. G. Valley St., 1978
- 24 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
- 24 Julius Livas vs. Kent St., 1970
- 24 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1968
- 24 Bernard White vs. Richmond, 1984
- 24 Bernard White vs. E. Michigan, 1985

Extra Point Attempts

- 9 Al Silva vs. Ball St., 1968
- 8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966
- 7 Five Players, Most Recent: Gehad Youssef vs. Richmond, 1984
- 22 + Carl Bachman vs. Findlay, 1921

Extra Points Made

- 8 Al Silva vs. Ball St., 1968
- 8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966
- 19 + Carl Bachman vs. Findlay, 1921

Field Goals Made

- 4 Don Taylor vs. Toledo, 1974
- 3 Bill Witte vs. W. Michigan, 1971
- 3 Don Taylor vs. Texas-Arlington, 1975
- 3 Robin Yocum vs. Syracuse, 1976
- 3 John Spengler vs. W. Michigan, 1979
- 3 John Spengler vs. S. Mississippi, 1979
- 3 Gehad Youssef vs. Fresno St., 1983
- 3 Gehad Youssef vs. No. Illinois, 1983
- 3 Gehad Youssef vs. W. Michigan, 1983
- 3 Gehad Youssef vs. E. Michigan, 1983

Rushing Attempts

- 324 Dave Preston, 1974
- 274 Paul Miles, 1971
- 253 Bryant Jones, 1981
- 250 Paul Miles, 1973
- 248 Dave Preston, 1976

Net Yards Gained Rushing

- 1444 Fred Durig, 1951
- 1414 Dave Preston, 1974
- 1185 Paul Miles, 1971
- 1114 Dan Saleet, 1975
- 1051 Bryant Jones, 1981
- 1038 Paul Miles, 1973
- 1036 Bernard White, 1984

Punt Attempts

- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1968
- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Utah St., 1969
- 11 Jim Phelps vs. Miami, 1981
- 11 Jim Phelps vs. Long Beach, 1982

Punting Yards

- 441 Jim Phelps vs. Long Beach, 1982
- 431 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1968
- 428 Tom Lawrence vs. Utah St., 1969
- 421 Tom Lawrence vs. Dayton, 1970
- 417 Tom Lawrence vs. Ohio Univ., 1969

Punting Average

- *57.5 Greg Kampe vs. S. Mississippi, 1975
- 53.3 Bill Bradshaw vs. Ohio Univ., 1953
- 53.0 Jim Phelps vs. Toledo, 1982
- 51.3 Norm Limpert vs. Marshall, 1964
- 51.3 Bill Bradshaw vs. W. Michigan, 1954
- 51.3 Bill Bradshaw vs. Bradley, 1953

Total Plays

- 69 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1983
- 60 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 58 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1984
- 55 Vern Wireman vs. Marshall, 1969
- 55 Brian McClure vs. Kentucky, 1985
- 55 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985

Yards Gained

- *471 Brian McClure vs. Ohio, 1985
- 422 Brian McClure vs. E. Michigan, 1983
- 403 Brian McClure vs. No. Illinois, 1984
- 386 Brian McClure vs. C. Michigan, 1983
- 342 Mike Wright vs. Villanova, 1978

Punt Returns

- 10 Bob Harris vs. C. Michigan, 1950
- 7 Bill Pittman vs. Kent St., 1972
- 7 Bob Zimpfer vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 7 Chip Otten vs. W. Michigan, 1982
- 6 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
- 6 Bob Zimpfer vs. Utah St., 1969

Season Leaders

Touchdowns Scored Rushing

- *19 Dave Preston, 1974
- *19 Bernard White, 1985
- 15 Bernard White, 1984
- 12 Dave Preston, 1975
- 11 Paul Miles, 1973
- 10 Jerry Fields, 1971
- 10 Mike Wright, 1978
- 10 Mike Wright, 1979

Passing Attempts

- *466 Brian McClure, 1983
- 414 Brian McClure, 1984
- 371 Brian McClure, 1985
- 285 Mark Miller, 1977
- 281 Vern Wireman, 1969
- 259 Mike Wright, 1978
- 245 Mark Miller, 1976

Punt Return Yards

- 152 Bob Zimpfer vs. Quantico, 1967
- 125 Joe Souliere vs. Marshall, 1965
- 118 Bob Harris vs. C. Michigan, 1950
- 103 Joe Souliere vs. W. Michigan, 1965

Pass Interceptions Yards

- 127 Julius Livas vs. Miami, 1971
- 90 Rodney Lash vs. Toledo, 1948
- 83 Melvin Marshall vs. Ball State, 1985
- 80 Melvin Marshall vs. Brigham Young, 1983
- 66 Pete Schmidt vs. Findlay, 1948

Pass Interceptions

- 3 Martin Bayless vs. Ball St., 1983
- 3 Shawn Simms vs. Toledo, 1981
- 3 Jac Tomasello vs. Kent St., 1981
- 3 Arch Tunnell vs. Cal.-Poly, 1960
- 3 Jack Harbaugh vs. Delaware, 1959

Kickoff Returns

- 6 Shawn Potts vs. Ohio Univ., 1979
- 6 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio Univ., 1970
- 5 Tony Bell vs. Kent St., 1971
- 5 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
- 5 Bob Zimpfer vs. Ohio Univ., 1967
- 5 Chip Otten vs. Iowa St., 1979

Kickoff Return Yards

- 158 Steve Kuehl vs. Toledo, 1976
- 154 Joe Souliere vs. Temple, 1966
- 113 Honester Davidson vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 112 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio Univ., 1970
- 112 Roger Reynolds vs. Kent St., 1961

Pass Completions

- *298 Brian McClure, 1983
- 263 Brian McClure, 1984
- 226 Brian McClure, 1985
- 167 Mark Miller, 1977
- 147 Vern Wireman, 1969

Yards Gained Passing

- *3264 Brian McClure, 1983
- 2951 Brian McClure, 1984
- 2674 Brian McClure, 1985
- 2103 Mark Miller, 1977
- 1852 Mike Wright, 1978

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Touchdown Passes

- 21 Brian McClure, 1984
- 18 Brian McClure, 1985
- 16 Brian McClure, 1983
- 15 Vern Wireman, 1969
- 14 Mike Wright, 1978

Passing Percentage

- .703 Jim Bryan, 1955
- .642 Brian McClure, 1982
- .635 Brian McClure, 1984
- .620 Jim Potts, 1960
- .609 Brian McClure, 1985

Passes Caught

- 70 Mark Dowdell, 1983
- 63 Stan Hunter, 1983
- 57 Fred Mathews, 1969
- 56 Jeff Groth, 1978
- 56 Bernard White, 1984

Yards Gained Receiving

- 1107 Stan Hunter, 1983
- 874 Jeff Groth, 1978
- 841 Shawn Potts, 1982
- 785 Bob Zimpfer, 1969
- 761 Stan Hunter, 1985
- 744 Stan Hunter, 1984

Touchdown Passes Caught

- *11 Jim Ladd, 1952
- 8 Jeff Groth, 1978
- 8 Shawn Potts, 1982
- 8 Stan Hunter, 1984
- 7 Bob Zimpfer, 1968, 1969
- 7 Bob Schnelker, 1949
- 7 Stan Hunter, 1985

Touchdowns

- *19 Bernard White, 1985
- *19 Dave Preston, 1974
- 15 Bernard White, 1984
- 14 Dave Preston, 1975
- 11 Paul Miles, 1973
- 11 Jim Ladd, 1952
- 11 Jerry Fields, 1971

Points Scored

- 114 Bernard White, 1985
- 114 Dave Preston, 1974
- 90 Bernard White, 1984
- 84 Dave Preston, 1975
- 66 Paul Miles, 1974
- 66 Jerry Fields, 1971
- 66 Bernie Casey, 1959
- 66 Gehad Youssef, 1984

Extra Point Attempts

- 40 Paul Silvi, 1985
- 35 Gehad Youssef, 1984
- 35 John Spengler, 1978
- 34 Don Taylor, 1975
- 34 Al Silva, 1968

Extra Points Made

- 40 Paul Silvi, 1985
- 34 John Spengler, 1978
- 33 Gehad Youssef, 1984
- 31 Jerry Ward, 1964
- 30 Don Taylor, 1975
- 30 Don Taylor, 1973
- 30 Al Silva, 1968

Field Goals Made

- 16 Gehad Youssef, 1983
- 13 John Spengler, 1979
- 11 Gehad Youssef, 1984
- 10 Gehad Youssef, 1982
- 10 Paul Silvi, 1985

Punt Attempts

- 80 Jim Phelps, 1981
- 80 Tom Lawrence, 1969
- 67 Jim Phelps, 1983
- 65 Jim Phelps, 1982
- 65 Greg Kampe, 1977

Punting Yards

- 3221 Jim Phelps, 1981
- 2923 Tom Lawrence, 1969
- 2784 Jim Phelps, 1983
- 2671 Jim Phelps, 1982
- 2494 Greg Kampe, 1977

Punting Average

- 44.0 Bill Bradshaw, 1953
- 43.9 Bill Bradshaw, 1954
- 42.1 Norm Limpert, 1965
- 41.6 Jim Phelps, 1983
- 41.1 Jim Phelps, 1982

Total Plays

- *538 Brian McClure, 1983
- 466 Brian McClure, 1984
- 440 Mike Wright, 1978
- 413 Brian McClure, 1985
- 401 Mark Miller, 1977
- 364 Mike Wright, 1979
- 355 Vern Wireman, 1969

Yards Gained

- *3009 Brian McClure, 1983
- 2852 Brian McClure, 1984
- 2585 Brian McClure, 1985
- 2382 Mike Wright, 1978
- 2133 Mark Miller, 1977
- 1980 Mark Miller, 1976
- 1688 Vern Wireman, 1969

Punt Returns

- 26 Bill Pittman, 1971
- 26 Chip Otten, 1982
- 25 Bob Zimpfer, 1969
- 24 Bob Zimpfer, 1968
- 23 Bob Zimpfer, 1967

Punt Return Yards

- 379 Bob Zimpfer, 1967
- 332 Bob Zimpfer, 1968
- 247 Bob Zimpfer, 1969
- 227 Joe Souliere, 1965

Pass Interception Yards

- 207 Max Minnich, 1948
- 198 Julius Livas, 1971
- 114 Melvin Marshall, 1983
- 100 Joe Souliere, 1964
- 87 Martin Bayless, 1982

Pass Interceptions

- 12 Max Minnich, 1948
- *10 Martin Bayless, 1983
- 7 Martin Bayless, 1981
- 6 Joe Pearce, 1967
- 6 Dick Wagoner, 1966

Kickoff Returns

- 26 Dave Cassel, 1978
- 22 Bill Pittman, 1970
- 19 Joe Boxley, 1985
- 19 Darryl Story, 1983
- 19 Shawn Potts, 1979
- 18 Jeff McCormick, 1979
- 18 Bob Zimpfer, 1967

Kickoff Return Yards

- 532 Bill Pittman, 1970
- 422 Steve Kuehl, 1976
- 416 Joe Souliere, 1966
- 385 Joe Boxley, 1985
- 384 Bob Zimpfer, 1967
- 380 Darryl Story, 1983

Career Leaders

Rushing Attempts

- 830 Dave Preston, 1973-76
- 767 Paul Miles, 1971-73
- 571 Bryant Jones, 1980-82
- 468 Bernard White, 1984-85
- 445 Fred Durig, 1950-52

Net Yards Gained Rushing

- 3423 Dave Preston, 1973-76
- 3239 Paul Miles, 1971-73
- 2564 Fred Durig, 1950-52
- 2357 Bryant Jones, 1980-82
- 1985 Bernard White, 1984-85

Touchdowns Scored Rushing

- *39 Dave Preston, 1973-76
- 33 Bernard White, 1984-85
- 25 Paul Miles, 1971-73
- 23 Mike Wright, 1976-79
- 21 Jay Cunningham, 1962-64

Passing Attempts

1427	Brian McClure, 1982-85
851	Mark Miller, 1974-77
583	Vern Wireman, 1968-70
492	Mike Wright, 1976-79
404	Reid Lamport, 1971-73

Pass Completions

900	Brian McClure, 1982-85
455	Mark Miller, 1974-77
272	Vern Wireman, 1968-70
247	Mike Wright, 1976-79
189	P.J. Nyitray, 1966-68

Yards Gained Passing

10280	Brian McClure, 1982-85
5919	Mark Miller, 1974-76
3097	Mike Wright, 1976-79
3057	Vern Wireman, 1968-70
2520	Reid Lamport, 1971-73

Passes Had Intercepted

58	Brian McClure, 1982-85
38	Mark Miller, 1974-77
30	Reid Lamport, 1971-73
29	Brian McClure, 1982-SA

Touchdown Passes

63	Brian McClure, 1982-85
33	Mark Miller, 1974-77
26	Vern Wireman, 1968-70
23	Mike Wright, 1976-79
17	Reid Lamport, 1971-73

Passing Percentage

.631	Brian McClure, 1982-85 (900-1427)
.556	Jim Potts, 1959-61 (95/171)
.536	Bill Lyons, 1955-57 (74/138)
.535	Bob Colburn, 1958-59 (108/202)
.534	Mark Miller, 1974-77 (455/851)

Passes Caught

176	Stan Hunter, 1982-85
138	Mark Dowdell, 1981-84
136	Jeff Groth, 1966-68
119	Ed Jones, 1966-68
106	Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69

Yards Gained Receiving

2679	Stan Hunter, 1982-85
2268	Jeff Groth, 1975-78
1618	Shawn Potts, 1979-82
1615	Ed Jones, 1966-68
1422	Mark Dowdell, 1981-84

Touchdown Passes Caught

21	Stan Hunter, 1982-85
18	Jeff Groth, 1975-78
17	Jim Ladd, 1951-53
15	Shawn Potts, 1979-82
14	Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69

Touchdowns

*41	Dave Preston, 1973-76
34	Bernard White, 1984-85
25	Paul Miles, 1971-73
23	Jay Cunningham, 1962-64
23	Mike Wright, 1976-79
21	Fred Durig, 1950-52
21	Stan Hunter, 1984-85

Points Scored

246	Dave Preston, 1973-76
231	Gehad Youssef, 1981-84
204	Bernard White, 1984-85
199	Don Taylor, 1972-75
185	John Spengler, 1977-80
150	Paul Miles, 1971-73

Extra Point Attempts

113	Don Taylor, 1972-75
105	John Spengler, 1977-80
97	Gehad Youssef, 1981-84
74	Asa Elsa, 1960-62
54	Jim Perry, 1965-67

Extra Points Made

101	John Spengler, 1977-80
100	Don Taylor, 1972-75
93	Gehad Youssef, 1981-84
68	Asa Elsea, 1960-62
49	Jim Perry, 1965-67

Field Goals Made

44	Gehad Youssef, 1981-84
33	Don Taylor, 1972-75
28	John Spengler, 1977-80
17	Gehad Youssef, 1981-84
10	Paul Silvi, 1984-SA

Punt Attempts

219	Jim Phelps, 1981-83
167	Greg Kampe, 1975-77
147	Tom Lawrence, 1968-70
126	Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54
123	Jeff Higgins, 1979-80

Punting Yards

8955	Jim Phelps, 1981-83
6299	Greg Kampe, 1975-77
5342	Tom Lawrence, 1968-70
5311	Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54
4749	Greg A. Johnson, 1984-SA
4562	Norm Limpert, 1962-64

Punting Average

*42.2	Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54
40.9	Jim Phelps, 1981-83
40.4	Norm Limpert, 1962-64
38.0	Joe Siesel, 1964-66

Total Plays

\$*1630	Brian McClure, 1982-85
1186	Mark Miller, 1974-77
855	Mike Wright, 1976-79
835	Dave Preston, 1973-76
775	Vern Wireman, 1968-70

Yards Gained

9774	Brian McClure, 1982-85
6329	Mark Miller, 1974-77
4246	Mike Wright, 1976-79
3468	Dave Preston, 1973-76
3239	Paul Miles, 1971-73

Punt Returns

72	Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69
65	Bill Pittman, 1970-72
60	Chip Otten, 1979-82
37	Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54

Punt Return Yards

958	Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69
449	Bill Pittman, 1970-72
415	Joe Souliere, 1964-66

Pass Interception Yards

263	Martin Bayless, 1980-83
242	Melvin Marshall, 1982-85
207	Max Minnich, 1946-48
198	Joe Souliere, 1964-66
141	Dick Wagoner, 1964-66

Pass Interceptions

*27	Martin Bayless, 1980-83
13	Jac Tomasello, 1978-82
12	Max Minnich, 1946-48
11	Six Tied

Kickoff Returns

49	Steve Kuehl, 1973-76
41	Chip Otten, 1979-82
41	Bill Pittman, 1970-72
34	Joe Boxley, 1984-85
33	Jeff Groth, 1975-78

Kickoff Return Yards

1078	Steve Kuehl, 1973-76
940	Bill Pittman, 1970-72
837	Chip Otten, 1979-82
724	Joe Boxley, 1984-85
661	Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54

*MAC Records
\$NCAA Records

Year-by-Year Results

Longest Plays 1948-85

Touchdown Run

Yards		Year
85	Tony Trent vs. Toledo	1964
81	Harold Furcron vs. Dayton	1958
80	Jerry Dianiska vs. Ohio University	1958

Non-Scoring Run

64	Jeff Davis vs. Richmond	1984
52	Dan Saleet vs. Brigham Young	1975
51	Dan Saleet vs. Brigham Young	1975
50	Chip Otten vs. Eastern Michigan	1982
48	Bernard White vs. Ball State	1985

Touchdown Pass

96	Mark Miller to Dave Dudley vs. San Diego State	1976
90	Brian McClure to Stan Hunter vs. Central Michigan	1983
80	Bob Colburn to Ron Blackledge vs. Southern Illinois	1959
78	Mike Wright to Jeff Groth vs. Kent State	1978
78	Brian McClure to Greg Meehan vs. E. Michigan	1985
77	Reid Lamport to Greg Meczka vs. Dayton	1973
76	Brian McClure to Stan Hunter vs. Brigham Young	1983
75	Brian McClure to Mark Dowdell vs. Ball State	1984
73	Dave Endres to Steve Holovacs vs. Grand Valley State	1978
72	Mark Miller to Dave Preston vs. Brigham Young	1975

Non-Scoring Pass

74	Vern Wireman to Bob Zimpfer vs. Utah State	1969
69	Mark Miller to John Park vs. Tennessee-Chattanooga	1977
66	Vern Wireman to Fred Mathews vs. Marshall	1968
61	Reid Lamport to Roger Wallace vs. Dayton	1973

Kickoff Return

Yards		Year
93	Roger Reynolds vs. Kent State	1961
90	Tony Bell vs. Dayton	1973
85	Joe Souliere vs. Temple	1966

Punt Return

73	Max Minnich vs. Morris Harvey	1948
65	Joe Souliere vs. Miami	1965
65	Joe Souliere vs. Temple	1965

Punt

79	Jim Phelps vs. Toledo	1982
78	Greg A. Johnson vs. Oklahoma State	1984
77	Greg Kampe vs. Southern Mississippi	1975
75	Tom Lawrence vs. Western Michigan	1959
74	Bill Bradshaw vs. Youngstown	1952
73	Bill Bradshaw vs. Ohio	1953

Pass Interception

90	Rodney Lash vs. Toledo	1948
88	Julius Livas vs. Miami	1971
80	Melvin Marshall vs. Brigham Young	1983
66	Pete Schmidt vs. Findlay	1948
64	Martin Bayless vs. Kent State	1982

Field Goal

56	Gehad Youssef vs. Western Michigan	1983
49	Gehad Youssef vs. Toledo	1981
48	Al Silva vs. Quantico Marines	1967
48	John Spengler vs. Ball State	1980
48	John Spengler vs. Ohio University	1980
48	Paul Silvi vs. Western Michigan	1985

— 1919 —

Coach: John Stitt

Captain: Dale Treece

0	Toledo	6
0	at Defiance	12
0	Michigan Normal	10
0		28

Won 0, Lost 3

— 1921 —

Coach: Earl C. Kreiger

Captain: Franklin (Gus) Skibbie

0	Kent State	0
0	at Defiance	0
151	Findlay	0
0	Ashland	27
21	at Toledo	6
179		33

Won 3, Lost 1, Tied 1

— 1923 —

Coach: R. B. McCandless

Captain: Robert A. Younkin

0	Ohio Northern	46
12	at Heidelberg	13
13	Bluffton	0
26	Findlay	3
0	at Toledo	27
7	at Defiance	17
10	Ashland	0
0	at Baldwin-Wallace	25
68		131

Won 3, Lost 5

— 1925 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller

Captain: Harry Crawford

0	at Otterbein	0
0	Michigan Normal	14
0	at Capital	0
0	at Findlay	0
2	at Defiance	0
6	Bluffton	0
26	Ashland	14
34		28

Won 3, Lost 1, Tied 3

— 1920 —

Coach: Walter Jean

Captain: Charles Clucas

6	at Findlay	10
0	at Michigan Normal	68
0	Heidelberg	14
28	Defiance	46
7	at Kent State	0
41		138

Won 1, Lost 4

— 1922 —

Coach: Allen Snyder

Captain: Orville Raberding

0	at Ohio Northern	27
0	Adrian	7
26	at Findlay	0
22	Defiance	0
38	at Huntington	6
6	Toledo	6
6	at Kent State	0
98		46

Won 4, Lost 2, Tied 1

— 1924 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller

Captain: Ralph Castner

0	at Capital	19
13	at Ashland	6
7	at Toledo	12
0	at Central Michigan	21
0	Defiance	15
6	at Bluffton	0
34	Cedarville	0
60		73

Won 3, Lost 4

— 1926 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller

Captain: Hayden Olds

0	at Dayton	41
0	at Bluffton	0
14	Cedarville	0
25	Findlay	7
6	Central Michigan	0
13	Defiance	7
30	at Capital	15
0	at Detroit CC (Wayne)	0
88		70

Won 4, Lost 3, Tied 1

Year-by-Year Results

— 1927 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Ora Knecht

0	at Otterbein	0
6	Ohio Northern	2
13	at Kent State	0
6	Detroit CC (Wayne)	0
6	Findlay	0
15	at Defiance	0
6	Bluffton	12
52		14

Won 5, Lost 1, Tied 1

— 1932 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Willard Schaller

0	Baldwin-Wallace	24
7	at Mt. Union	6
0	at Bluffton	14
14	Defiance	7
0	at Hiram	0
12	Toledo	6
0	at Ohio Northern	20
33		77

Won 3, Lost 3, Tied 1

— 1937 —

Coach: Harry Ockerman
Captain: John Cheetwood

12	Hiram	0
0	at Baldwin-Wallace	21
0	at Michigan Normal	25
12	Capital	0
7	Ohio Northern	9
13	at Kent State	13
0	Wittenberg	12
12	at Heidelberg	0
56		80

Won 3, Lost 4, Tied 1

— 1942 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker
Captain: Ralph Quesinberry

39	Miami Naval	0
14	at Ohio Wesleyan	15
26	at Ball State	14
20	at Wayne	6
7	Miami	6
0	Kent State	7
10	Wittenberg	0
0	at Findlay	0
19	Grosse Isle Navy	7
135		55

Won 6, Lost 2, Tied 1

— 1928 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Chet Chapman

7	at Ohio Northern	0
6	at Bluffton	0
14	Toledo	0
12	Defiance	12
20	at Detroit CC (Wayne)	0
19	at Findlay	0
12	Kent	12
90		24

Won 5, Lost 0, Tied 2

— 1933 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Henry Fearnside

6	Mt. Union	7
19	Bluffton	0
6	at Baldwin-Wallace	58
6	at Ohio Northern	0
7	at Toledo	26
0	Capital	0
0	Hiram	0
44		91

Won 2, Lost 3, Tied 2

— 1938 —

Coach: Harry Ockerman
Captain: Wayne Stewart

0	Capital	0
0	at John Carroll	20
50	Ashland	0
7	Wittenberg	0
0	at Ohio Northern	0
7	Michigan Normal	7
3	Kent State	7
27	at Hiram	0
94		34

Won 3, Lost 2, Tied 3

— 1943 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker
Captain: Wayne Bordner

18	Ohio Wesleyan	7
40	at Xavier	0
36	Central Michigan	0
31	Patterson Field	0
12	Bunker Hill Navy	13
7	at Baldwin-Wallace	7
24	Alma	0
6	at Miami	45
20	at Ohio Wesleyan	32
194		104

Won 5, Lost 3, Tied 1

— 1929 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Harold Treece

0	Baldwin-Wallace	18
7	at Michigan Normal	34
23	Findlay	0
0	at Toledo	0
6	at Defiance	0
15	Bluffton	0
25	Detroit CC (Wayne)	2
76		54

Won 4, Lost 2, Tied 1

— 1934 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Robert Lewis

0	at Mt. Union	12
20	Otterbein	7
0	Kent State	0
3	at Hiram	13
13	at Capital	0
0	Toledo	22
0	Ohio Northern	0
36		54

Won 2, Lost 3, Tied 2

— 1939 —

Coach: Harry Ockerman
Captain: Edward Siminski

35	Bluffton	0
9	Wayne	0
6	Capital	7
26	Otterbein	6
19	at Wittenberg	13
34	at Kent State	0
7	at Findlay	7
23	at Michigan Normal	13
159		46

Won 6, Lost 1, Tied 1

— 1944 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker
Captain: Donald Mohr

20	at Central Michigan	19
7	at Miami	28
13	at Ohio Wesleyan	6
6	Baldwin-Wallace	13
19	Alma	6
41	Ohio Wesleyan	0
20	at Case	18
7	at Bunker Hill Navy	27
133		117

Won 5, Lost 3

— 1930 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Chet Chapman

19	Hope	0
7	at Baldwin-Wallace	6
13	at Bluffton	6
13	Defiance	6
6	at Findlay	6
0	Toledo	0
30	Albion	7
19	at Detroit CC (Wayne)	7
107		38

Won 6, Lost 0, Tied 2

— 1935 —

Coach: Harry Ockerman
Captain: James Greetham

0	Capital	12
0	Baldwin-Wallace	41
0	at Ohio Northern	54
0	at Kent State	45
0	at Toledo	63
0	Marietta	31
25	Hiram	0
25		246

Won 1, Lost 6

— 1940 —

Coach: Harry Ockerman
Captain: Steve Brudzinski

0	Wittenberg	14
14	at Findlay	7
15	Michigan Normal	0
7	at Capital	7
0	Kent State	13
26	at Wooster	14
0	at Eastern Kentucky	48
0	at Wayne	19
62		122

Won 3, Lost 4, Tied 1

— 1945 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker
Captain: Patrick Mulvihill

15	at Alma	0
19	Central Michigan	6
13	at Baldwin-Wallace	14
0	at Miami	26
6	at Ohio University	0
0	at Oberlin	28
26	Case	7
79		81

Won 4, Lost 3

— 1931 —

Coach: Warren E. Steller
Captain: Clifford Stevenson

0	at Baldwin-Wallace	0
6	Mt. Union	0
0	at Western Reserve	0
13	Detroit CC (Wayne)	0
0	Bluffton	0
0	at Defiance	15
6	Findlay	6
6	at Central Michigan	0
31		21

Won 3, Lost 1, Tied 4

— 1936 —

Coach: Harry Ockerman
Captain: James Inman

0	at Western Reserve	40
7	at Capital	7
6	Michigan Normal	0
13	at Wittenberg	0
0	Kent State	6
13	at Hiram	0
20	at Ashland	0
7	Ohio Northern	7
0	Heidelberg	0
66		60

Won 4, Lost 2, Tied 3

— 1941 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker
Captain: Edward Wellner

14	Wooster	14
0	at Akron	8
9	at Miami	0
20	at Michigan Normal	6
39	Heidelberg	6
12	at Kent State	6
13	at Wittenberg	0
47	Findlay	0
19	Wayne	0
173		40

Won 7, Lost 1, Tied 1

— 1946 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker
Captains:

0	at Central Michigan	7
13	Ball State	0
0	Miami	6
13	at Kent State	0
13	at Canisius	0
14	Oberlin	0
9	at St. Bonaventure	13
33	Xavier	6
95		32

Won 5, Lost 3

Year-by-Year Results

— 1947 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captains:

Wayne Bloker, James Knierim

0	at Xavier	2
20	Central Michigan	19
13	at Dayton	20
19	at Miami	33
2	Ohio University	0
21	Kent State	18
26	Findlay	9
14	at St. Bonaventure	21
19	Northern Iowa	7
0	at William & Mary	20
134		149

Won 5, Lost 5

— 1951 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captains:

Ollie Glass, Eugene Aldridge

23	Ohio Wesleyan	13
7	at Miami	46
13	Mt. Union	26
7	at Ohio University	28
27	at Baldwin-Wallace	20
6	Toledo	12
27	Kent State	27
20	at Youngstown	0
20	at Bradley	6
150		178

Won 4, Lost 4, Tied 1

— 1955 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captain: Jack Hecker

40	Defiance	0
6	at Kent State	6
35	Western Michigan	0
30	John Carroll	0
34	at Baldwin Wallace	14
39	Toledo	0
27	at Marshall	26
0	at Miami	7
13	at Ohio University	0
224		53

Won 7, Lost 1, Tied 1

— 1959 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains:

Robert Colburn, Robert Zimpfer

51	at Marshall	7
14	Dayton	0
34	Western Michigan	0
51	Toledo	21
25	at Kent State	8
33	Miami	16
23	at Southern Illinois	14
30	Delaware	8
13	at Ohio University	9
274		83

Won 9, Lost 0

— 1948 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Vernon Dunham

13	at Ohio University	7
13	at Central Michigan	12
21	at Toledo	6
48	Morris Harvey	6
33	Baldwin-Wallace	28
28	at Findlay	7
23	at Kent State	14
38	Morningside	7
13	John Carroll	13
230		100

Won 8, Lost 0, Tied 1

— 1952 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Darrell Clay

20	Central Michigan	7
7	Miami	42
45	Ohio Wesleyan	0
21	at Bradley	14
27	Baldwin-Wallace	19
29	at Toledo	19
44	at Kent State	21
50	Youngstown	0
14	Ohio University	33
257		155

Won 7, Lost 2

— 1956 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains:

Jack Giroux, Harold Peek

73	Defiance	0
17	Kent State	0
27	at Western Michigan	13
46	at Drake	7
32	at Baldwin-Wallace	21
34	at Toledo	12
34	Marshall	12
7	Miami	7
41	Ohio University	27
311		99

Won 8, Lost 0, Tied 1

— 1960 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains:

Jerry Colaner, Bernard Casey

14	Marshall	7
21	at Miami	12
14	at Western Michigan	13
14	at Toledo	3
28	Kent State	0
50	California Poly	6
27	Southern Illinois	6
7	Ohio University	14
21	at Texas Western	0
196		61

Won 8, Lost 1

— 1949 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Jack Woodland

47	Rider	14
20	Central Michigan	0
19	at Toledo	20
0	at Morris Harvey	21
21	at Baldwin-Wallace	34
24	at John Carroll	38
27	Kent State	6
35	at Mt. Union	7
13	Eastern Kentucky	21
206		161

Won 4, Lost 5

— 1953 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: James Ladd

7	at Youngstown	20
0	at Miami	47
0	at Temple	27
39	Bradley	13
27	at Baldwin-Wallace	35
19	Toledo	20
7	Kent State	41
6	Heidelberg	27
14	at Ohio University	22
119		252

Won 1, Lost 8

— 1957 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captain: Tim Murnen

60	Baldwin-Wallace	7
16	at Xavier	0
7	at Delaware	0
14	Western Michigan	14
29	Toledo	0
13	at Kent State	7
7	Miami	13
7	at Ohio University	7
14	at Marshall	7
167		55

Won 6, Lost 1, Tied 2

— 1961 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains: Larry Smith, Raymond Kwiatkowski

40	at Marshall	0
28	Dayton	11
21	Western Michigan	0
17	Toledo	6
21	at Kent State	6
6	Miami	7
28	West Texas State	6
7	at Ohio University	6
20	at Southern Illinois	0
6	* Fresno State	36
194		78

* Mercy Bowl

Won 8, Lost 2

— 1950 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Douglas Mooney

0	at Rider	0
6	Miami	54
20	Bradley	14
0	at Central Michigan	12
34	Baldwin-Wallace	34
39	at Toledo	14
6	at Kent State	19
22	Youngstown	7
7	at Eastern Michigan	34
134		188

Won 3, Lost 4, Tied 2

— 1954 —

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: John Ladd

18	at Dayton	0
7	Miami	46
7	Waynesburg	12
15	at Western Michigan	20
13	Baldwin-Wallace	0
7	at Toledo	38
25	at Kent State	28
19	Marshall	26
14	Ohio University	26
125		196

Won 2, Lost 7

— 1958 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captain: Raymond Reese

20	at Wichita State	14
27	Lockbourne AFB	6
25	at Dayton	0
40	at Western Michigan	6
31	at Toledo	16
7	Kent State	8
14	at Miami	28
33	Ohio University	6
21	Marshall	7
218		91

Won 7, Lost 2

— 1962 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains: Robert Fearnside, Gary Sherman

48	Marshall	6
14	at Dayton	7
10	at Western Michigan	6
28	at Toledo	13
45	Kent State	6
24	at Miami	24
7	at West Texas State	23
7	Ohio University	6
21	Southern Illinois	0
204		91

Won 7, Lost 1, Tied 1

Year-by-Year Results

— 1963 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains:

John Doyle, William Violet

27	Detroit	14
31	at Southern Illinois	6
28	Dayton	0
16	Western Michigan	7
22	Toledo	20
18	at Kent State	3
12	Miami	21
21	at Marshall	14
0	at Ohio University	16
26	Xavier	15
201		116

Won 8, Lost 2

— 1967 —

Coach: Bob Gibson

Captains:

Chester Boyer, Dave Seiter

29	Quantico Marines	0
7	at Dayton	0
6	Western Michigan	10
0	Toledo	33
7	at Kent State	6
7	Miami	9
9	at Marshall	7
7	at Ohio University	31
17	Northern Illinois	7
42	at L.A. State	27
131		130

Won 6, Lost 4

— 1971 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains: Jerry Fields,

Larry Meador, Don Plusquellic

20	at Ohio University	19
47	East Carolina	20
23	Western Michigan	6
7	Toledo	24
46	at Kent State	33
33	Miami	7
10	at Marshall	12
34	at Texas Arlington	17
27	Xavier	42
16	at Dayton	26
263		207

Won 6, Lost 4

— 1975 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains:

Art Thompson, Steve Studer

23	at Brigham Young	21
16	Southern Mississippi	14
21	at Dayton	14
28	Western Michigan	0
34	Toledo	17
35	at Kent State	9
17	Miami	20
20	Ball State	27
19	at Ohio University	17
48	at Southern Illinois	6
17	at Texas Arlington	21
278		166

Won 8, Lost 3

— 1964 —

Coach: Doyt L. Perry

Captains: Thomas Reicosky,

Jerry Ward, James Wisser

35	Southern Illinois	12
21	at North Texas	7
31	Dayton	0
28	at Western Michigan	8
31	at Toledo	14
41	Kent State	0
21	at Miami	18
28	Marshall	0
0	Ohio University	21
35	at Xavier	7
275		87

Won 9, Lost 1

— 1968 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captain: Dennis Zolciak

62	Ball State	8
20	Dayton	14
17	at Western Michigan	10
0	at Toledo	0
30	Kent State	7
7	at Miami	31
54	Marshall	28
27	Ohio University	28
6	at Northern Illinois	7
44	at Xavier	14
267		147

Won 6, Lost 3, Tied 1

— 1972 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains:

Bill Pittman, Bill Montrie

17	at Purdue	14
16	at Miami	7
13	at Western Michigan	13
19	at Toledo	8
10	Kent State	14
19	at San Diego State	35
46	Marshall	7
17	Ohio University	0
5	Dayton	0
22	at Tampa	29
184		127

Won 6, Lost 3, Tied 1

— 1976 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains:

Dan Saleet, Greg Davidson

22	at Syracuse	7
53	Eastern Michigan	12
15	San Diego State	27
31	at Western Michigan	28
29	at Toledo	28
17	Kent State	13
7	at Miami	9
28	Central Michigan	38
26	Ohio University	31
35	Southern Illinois	7
29	at Tennessee-Chattanooga	49
292		249

Won 6, Lost 5

— 1965 —

Coach: Bob Gibson

Captains: William Earhart,
James Violet, Dwight Wallace

21	California St., Los Angeles	0
0	at West Texas State	34
9	at Dayton	0
21	Western Michigan	17
21	Toledo	14
7	at Kent State	6
7	Miami	23
20	at Marshall	6
17	at Ohio University	7
123		107

Won 7, Lost 2

— 1969 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains:

Joe Green, Dave Roesse

6	Utah State	14
27	at Dayton	7
21	Western Michigan	10
26	Toledo	27
7	at Kent State	0
3	Miami	3
16	at Marshall	21
23	at Ohio University	16
12	at West Texas	28
38	Northern Illinois	23
179		146

Won 6, Lost 4

— 1973 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains:

Greg Meczka, John Villapiano

41	at Syracuse	14
31	at Dayton	16
31	Western Michigan	20
49	Toledo	35
7	at Kent State	21
8	Miami	31
24	at Marshall	21
23	at Ohio University	24
31	Eastern Michigan	7
21	Northern Illinois	20
266		209

Won 7, Lost 3

— 1977 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains: Doug Smith,
Mark Miller, Alex Prosak

17	at Grand Valley State	6
6	at Eastern Michigan	16
21	Iowa State	35
34	Western Michigan	14
21	Toledo	13
14	at Kent State	10
13	Miami	33
28	at Central Michigan	35
33	Tennessee-Chattanooga	37
39	at Ohio University	27
21	at Hawaii	41
28	at Long Beach State	29
275		296

Won 5, Lost 7

— 1966 —

Coach: Bob Gibson

Captain: Mike Weger

13	at Tampa	20
13	Dayton	0
14	at Western Michigan	16
14	at Toledo	13
12	Kent State	35
17	at Miami	14
14	Marshall	6
28	Ohio University	0
62	at Temple	20
187		124

Won 6, Lost 3

— 1970 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains: Dave Finley,

Phil Villapiano, Vern Wireman

14	at Utah State	33
14	Dayton	14
3	at Western Michigan	23
0	at Toledo	20
44	Kent State	0
3	at Miami	7
26	Marshall	24
7	Ohio University	34
7	West Texas State	23
118		178

Won 2, Lost 6, Tied 1

— 1974 —

Coach: Don Nehlen

Captains:

Joe Russell, Hal Thomas

6	at East Carolina	24
41	Dayton	21
21	at Western Michigan	13
19	at Toledo	24
26	Kent State	10
10	at Miami	34
28	Marshall	3
22	Ohio University	33
17	Arkansas State	0
38	at Southern Mississippi	20
21	at San Diego State	21
249		203

Won 6, Lost 4, Tied 1

— 1978 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains:

Dirk Abernathy, Joe Studer

28	at Villanova	35
43	at Eastern Michigan	6
49	Grand Valley State	3
20	at Western Michigan	24
45	at Toledo	27
28	Kent State	20
7	at Miami	18
7	Central Michigan	38
14	Ball State	39
21	at Southern Mississippi	38
15	Ohio University	19
277		267

Won 4, Lost 7

Year-by-Year Results Records vs. All Opponents

— 1979 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains:

Mike Wright, Bob Harris

32	Eastern Michigan	6
10	at Iowa State	38
0	Central Michigan	24
15	at Western Michigan	3
17	Toledo	23
28	at Kent State	17
3	Miami	21
23	at Ball State	38
14	at Kentucky	20
31	Southern Mississippi	27
21	at Ohio University	48
194		265

Won 4, Lost 7

— 1981 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains: Doug Carr, Tom Glendening, Craig Valentine

0	at Baylor	38
21	at Ohio University	23
7	at Michigan State	10
7	Western Michigan	21
7	Miami	7
17	at Northern Illinois	10
38	Toledo	0
13	Kent State	7
14	at Ball State	10
28	at Eastern Michigan	0
3	Central Michigan	6
155		132

Won 5, Lost 5, Tied 1

— 1983 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains:

Martin Bayless, Mark Emans

35	at Fresno State	27
28	at Brigham Young	63
17	Miami	14
26	at Eastern Michigan	21
3	Toledo	6
23	at Western Michigan	20
23	at Northern Illinois	24
15	Central Michigan	14
45	Ball State	30
24	at Ohio University	20
38	Kent State	3
277		242

Won 8, Lost 3

— 1985 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains: Brian McClure, Chris Hartman, Stan Hunter

31	at Ball State	6
30	at Kentucky	26
28	Miami	24
27	Akron	22
48	at Western Michigan	7
42	at Eastern Michigan	24
23	Central Michigan	18
26	Kent State	14
34	at Northern Illinois	14
21	Toledo	0
38	at Ohio University	17
7	* at Fresno State	51
355		223

* California Bowl

Won 11, Lost 1

— 1980 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains: Tim Ross, Dan Shetler, Craig Valentine

17	at Richmond	20
16	Eastern Michigan	18
21	Long Beach	23
20	at Kentucky	21
17	at Western Michigan	14
17	at Toledo	6
24	Kent State	3
3	at Miami	7
24	Ball State	21
10	at Central Michigan	32
20	Ohio University	21
189		186

Won 4, Lost 7

— 1982 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains: Terry Gyetvai, Shawn Potts, Andre Young

40	Ohio University	0
34	at Central Michigan	30
7	Western Michigan	3
12	at Miami	17
20	Northern Illinois	18
10	at Toledo	24
41	at Kent State	7
28	Ball State	7
24	Eastern Michigan	7
7	at Long Beach	24
14	at North Carolina	33
28	* Fresno State	29
265		199

* California Bowl

Won 7, Lost 5

— 1984 —

Coach: Denny Stolz

Captains: Joe Prchlik, Brian Johnson, Dean Hall

55	Richmond	28
14	at Oklahoma State	31
41	at Miami	10
35	Eastern Michigan	27
6	at Toledo	17
34	Western Michigan	7
28	Northern Illinois	6
21	at Central Michigan	42
38	at Ball State	13
28	Ohio University	7
27	at Kent State	10
327		198

Won 8, Lost 3

Falcon Record Against All Opponents

Opponent	W-L-T	First Meeting	Opponent	W-L-T	First Meeting	Opponent	W-L-T	First Meeting
Adrian	0-1-0	1922	Grand Valley State	2-0-0	1977	Purdue	1-0-0	1972
Akron	1-1-0	1941	Hawaii	0-1-0	1977	Quantico Marines	1-0-0	1967
Albion	1-0-0	1930	Heidelberg	2-3-1	1920	Richmond	1-1-0	1980
Alma	3-0-0	1943	Hiram	4-1-2	1932	San Diego State	0-2-1	1972
Arkansas State	1-0-0	1974	Hope	1-0-0	1930	Southern Illinois	8-0-0	1959
Ashland	5-1-0	1921	Huntington	1-0-0	1922	Southern Mississippi	3-1-0	1974
Baldwin-Wallace	8-10-3	1923	Iowa State	0-2-0	1977	St. Bonaventure	0-2-0	1946
Ball State	9-3-0	1942	John Carroll	1-2-1	1938	Syracuse	2-0-0	1973
Baylor	0-1-0	1981	Kent State	36-12-6	1920	Tampa	0-2-0	1966
Bluffton	9-2-1	1923	Kentucky	1-2-0	1979	Temple	1-1-0	1953
Bradley	4-0-0	1950	Long Beach State	0-3-0	1977	Toledo	27-19-4	1919
Brigham Young	1-1-0	1975	Marietta	0-1-0	1935	Tennessee-Chattanooga	0-2-0	1976
Cal Poly-SLO	1-0-0	1960	Marshall	18-3-0	1954	Texas-Arlington	1-1-0	1971
Cal State, Los Angeles	2-0-0	1965	Miami (OH)	12-28-3	1941	Texas Western	1-0-0	1960
Canisius	1-0-0	1946	Michigan State	0-1-0	1981	Utah State	0-2-0	1969
Capital	2-4-5	1924	Minnesota	0-0-0	1986	Villanova	0-1-0	1978
Case Tech	2-0-0	1944	Morningside	1-0-0	1948	Washington	0-0-0	1986
Cedarville	2-0-0	1924	Morris Harvey	1-1-0	1948	Wayne State	8-1-1	1926
Central Michigan	12-10-0	1924	Mount Union	3-3-0	1931	Waynesburg	0-1-0	1954
Dayton	16-3-1	1926	North Carolina	0-1-0	1982	Western Michigan	24-6-2	1954
Defiance	10-5-1	1919	North Texas State	1-0-0	1964	Western Reserve	0-1-1	1931
Delaware	2-0-0	1957	Northern Illinois	7-2-0	1967	West Texas State	1-4-0	1961
Detroit	1-0-0	1963	Northern Iowa	1-0-0	1947	Wichita State	1-0-0	1958
Drake	1-0-0	1956	Oberlin	1-1-0	1945	William and Mary	0-1-0	1947
East Carolina	1-1-0	1971	Ohio Northern	3-5-3	1922	Wittenberg	5-2-0	1936
Eastern Kentucky	0-3-0	1940	Ohio University	20-17-1	1945	Wooster	1-0-1	1940
Eastern Michigan	13-7-1	1919	Ohio Wesleyan	5-0-2	1942	Xavier	6-2-0	1943
Findlay	10-2-5	1920	Oklahoma State	0-1-0	1984	Youngstown State	3-1-0	1950
Fresno State	1-3-0	1961	Otterbein	2-0-2	1925	Others (Non-College)	5-2-0	—

BG's Academic All-MAC Selections

First Team Only

1985 Rick Neiman, QB	1980 Chip Otten, TB Dan Shetler, WR	1975 John Boles, WR Dave Preston, TB	1969 Laurie Kelly, S
1984 Joe Prchlik, DL	1979 Mike Callesen, DE Jac Tomasello, DB	1974 John Boles, WR Joe Russell, LB	1968 Al Silva, G Laurie Kelly, S
1983 Joe Kastl, OL Larry Stratton, DL	1978 Mike Wright, QB Mike Callesen, LB	1973 Joe Russell, LB Hal Watz, QB Dave McMichael, T	1967 Ernest George, T Jim Perry, HB
1982 Chip Otten, TB Dave Hagaman, OT Larry Stratton, DE Joe Prchlik, NT	1977 Greg Kampe, DB Dave Dudley, WR Mark Miller, QB Mark Wichman, OT	1972 Dave McMichael, C Hal Watz, QB	1966 Frank Harpold, T Heath Wingate, C Jim Perry, HB
1981 Dave Hagaman, OT Dayne Palsgrove, QB Larry Stratton, DE	1976 Dave Preston, TB Dave Dudley, WR Greg Kampe, DB	1971 Don Plusquellic, QB Garry Schaefer, DHB	1965 Heath Wingate, C
		1970 Laurie Kelly, S Don Plusquellic, QB	

BG's Academic All-American Selections

- 1969 — Laurie Kelly (DB) - 3rd Team
- 1974 — John Boles (WR) - 2nd Team
- 1975 — John Boles (WR) - 1st Team
Joe Russell (LB) - 2nd Team
- 1976 — Dave Preston (TB) - 2nd Team

NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship Winners

- 1976 — Dave Preston
- 1977 — Mark Miller

National Football Foundation Post-Graduate Scholarship

- 1977 — Mark Wichman

All-Star Games

College All-Star

- 1960 Bernie Casey, TB
- 1962 Bob Reynolds, OT
- 1971 Phil Villapiano, DE
- 1974 Tony Bell, DB

All-American Bowl

- 1958 Tom Colaner, E
- 1959 Bob Zimpfer, T
- 1962 Bob Reynolds, T

North-South

- 1959 Bob Zimpfer, T

Senior Bowl

- 1961 Jerry Croft, T
- 1966 Mike Weger, DB
- 1971 Phil Villapiano, DE

East-West Shrine

- 1960 Bernie Casey, HB
- 1973 Tony Bell, DB
- 1975 Steve Studer, C
- 1978 Jeff Groth, FL
- 1985 Brian McClure, QB

Blue-Gray

- 1955 Jack Hecker, E
- 1956 Jack Giroux, FB
- 1966 Mike Weger, DB
- 1970 Phil Villapiano, DE
- 1983 Martin Bayless, DB

Canadian-American Bowl

- 1977 Mark Miller
- 1978 Dirk Abernathy

Bowling Green Team Awards

Most Valuable Player

1952 Fred Durig, FB	1961 Jerry Croft, T	1970 Phil Villapiano, DE	1977 Mark Miller, QB
1953 Bill Bradshaw, QB	1962 Don Lisbon, HB	1971 Paul Miles, TB	1978 Jeff Groth, FL
1954 Bill Bradshaw, QB	Gary Sherman, G	1972 Fred Sturt, G	1979 Mike Wright, QB
1955 Carlos Jackson, HB	1963 Jim Wisser, FB	Phil Polak, FB	1980 Todd Gates, DT
1956 Jack Giroux, HB	1964 Jay Cunningham, HB	Earl Hargrove, MG	1981 Craig Valentine, NT
1957 Tim Murnen, LB	1965 Mike Weger, DHB	1973 Paul Miles, TB	1982 Andre Young, DT
1958 Harold Furcron, HB	1966 Mike Weger, DHB	1974 Dave Preston, TB	1983 Martin Bayless, DB
1959 Bob Colburn, QB	1967 Dave Seitzer, DE	1975 Dan Saleet, FB	1984 Brian McClure, QB
1960 Jerry Colaner, G	1968 Dennis Zolciak, LB	1976 Mark Miller, QB	1985 Brian McClure, QB
Don Lisbon, FB	1969 Joe Green, MG		

Awards and Honors / All-Americans

Carlos Jackson Memorial Award

Awarded for the first time in 1974 to the player who makes the biggest contribution to the team in the areas of leadership, inspiration and extra effort. The late Carlos Jackson was a football letterman in 1955 and 1956 and assistant football coach from 1968-1973.

1974 Dave Kulik	1980 John Park
1975 Mark Conklin	1981 Carl Rosser
1976 Bill Eysen	1982 Terry Gyetvai
1977 None	1983 Lamont Wagner
1978 Dirk Abernathy	1984 Mark Dowdell
1979 John Fitzpatrick	1985 Troy Dawson

President's Award

Given for the first time in 1979, the President's Award is given to the player who combines athletic and academic achievement.

1979 Mike Callesen	1983 Joe Kastl
1980 Dan Shetler	1984 Joe Prchlik
1981 Doug Carr	1985 Rick Neiman
1982 Dave Hagaman	

Coaches' Award

Given for the first time in 1979, the Coaches' Award is given to the player who represents a truly outstanding attitude toward Falcon football.

1979 Doug Wiener	1983 Dave Palsgrove
1980 Alvin Howard	1984 Dean Hall
1981 Rick Iverson	1985 Dan Schriener
1982 Rick Deutsch	

Doyt L. Perry Award

Given for the first time in 1979, the Doyt L. Perry Award is given to a distinguished contributor to Falcon football.

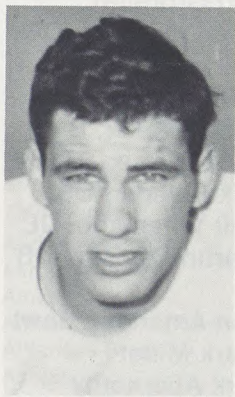
1979 Ted Wolfram	1983 Sandi Middleton
1980 Glenn Sharp	1984 Kermit Stroh
1981 Don Contris	1985 Jon Treece
1982 Ken Schoeni	

Special Teams

1984 Gehad Youssef	1985 Lesley Harris
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Bowling Green's All-America Gallery

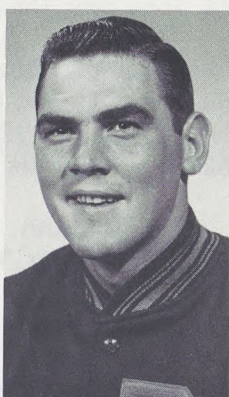
Twelve Falcons have been named to various All-America teams. The most recent was Martin Bayless who was named to the third team by the Associated Press. Bowling Green's 12 All-America selections are pictured below.



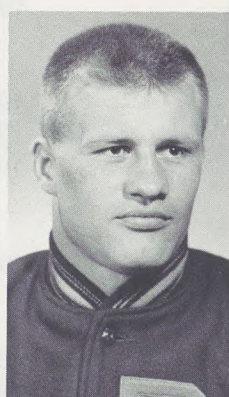
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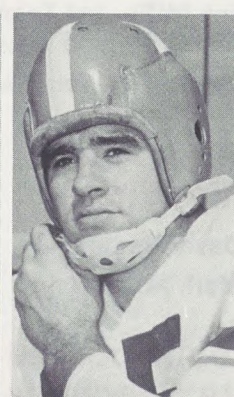
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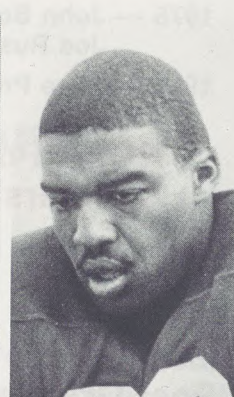
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Jack Giroux, FB
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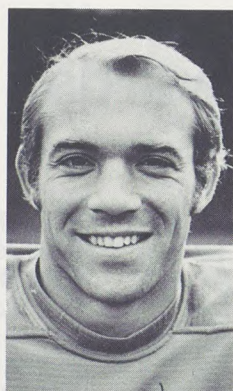
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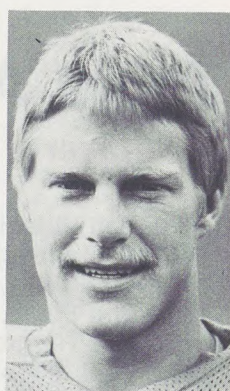
Bernie Casey, HB
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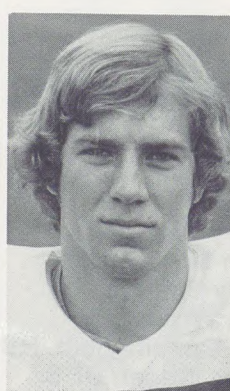
Bob Zimpfer, T
1959



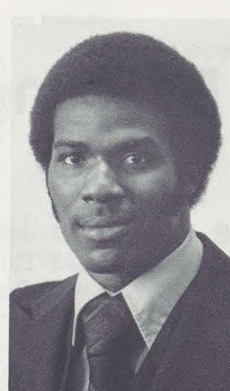
Mike Weger, DB
1965



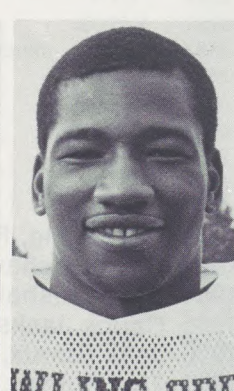
Dave Preston, HB
1975



Mark Miller, QB
1977



Andre Young, DT
1982



Martin Bayless, DB
1983

Awards & Honors Won By Falcon Players

Sports Illustrated Lineman of the Week

John Villapiano, LB, vs. Syracuse, 1973

UPI National Backfield of the Week

Paul Miles, TB, vs. Kent State, 1972

ABC-CBS Chevrolet Player of the Game

Phil Polak, FB, vs. Miami, 1972

John Villapiano, LB, vs. Miami, 1972

Mark Miller, QB, vs. Central Michigan, 1977

Todd Gates, DT, vs. Central Michigan, 1980

Chip Otten, TB, vs. Miami, 1982

California Bowl Players of the Game

Chip Otten, TB, vs. Fresno State, 1982

Jac Tomasello, DB, vs. Fresno State, 1982

Greg Meehan, FL, vs. Fresno State, 1985

Blue-Gray Defensive Player of the Game

Martin Bayless, 1983

MAC Outstanding Player

1969 — Joe Green, MG

1970 — Phil Villapiano, DE

MAC Outstanding Offensive Player

1983 — Brian McClure, QB

1984 — Brian McClure, QB

1985 — Brian McClure, QB

MAC Rookie of the Year

1982 — Brian McClure, QB

Jefferson Award

1984 — Brian McClure, QB

1985 — Brian McClure, QB

All-Ohio Shrine Bowl

1972 John Czerwinski, T
Earl Hargrove, MG

1973 John Jacquot, DT
Phil Polak, FB
Tom Hall, LB

1974 Joe Russell, LB
Nick Obrovac, OT

1975 Gene Jones, OT
Kevin Clayton, LB
Art Thompson, DB

1976 John Obrock, OT
Tommy Steele, OG
Steve Kuehl, TB
Dave Brown, MG

Bowling Green Athletic Hall of Fame

One of the highest honors available to a Bowling Green State University athlete is induction into the BGSU Athletic Hall of Fame. Any former Falcon athlete who has been out of school for at least five years, a coach or contributor to BGSU athletics is eligible for induction. With the addition of four new members last winter, including former guard Fred Marsh, there are now 91 members of the BGSU Athletic Hall of Fame. The portrait of each Hall of Famer hangs in the lobby of the BGSU Ice Arena. The 52 Hall of Famers with a football background are listed below.

Carl C. Bachman '25
Bruce Bellard '48
Ronald Blackledge '60
Wayne M. Bordner '46
Steve L. Brudzinski '41
Charles Buckenmeyer '46
Bernard T. Casey '61
Chester A. Chapman '32
Charles S. Clucas '21
Robert Colburn '60
Victor DeOrio '59
Fred E. Durig '53
Howard I. Filiere '29
Jack E. Giroux '57
Joseph D. Green '70
Jeff Groth '79
John A. Hartman '35
Jack Hecker '56

James R. Inman '37
Carlos Jackson '58
Dewey B. Johnson '46
James C. Knierim '48
James W. Ladd '54
Ivan E. Lake '24
Macs Leitman '30
Donald Lisbon '63
Fred Marsh '33
David B. Martin '47
Mark Miller '78
Kenneth W. Mollenkopf '31
John T. Murnen '58
Donald E. Nehlen '58
Hayden Olds '27
Doyt L. Perry '32
R. David Preston '77

Robert L. Reynolds '64
James A. Rivers '67
Kenneth E. Russell '57
Allan Sawdy, Trainer
Robert Schnelker '51
Glenn M. Sharp, Manager
Edmund J. Siminski '40
Franklin G. Skibbie '26
Warren E. Steller, Coach
Clifford A. Stevenson '32
Phillip Villapiano '71
Michael R. Weger '67
Robert H. Whittaker, Coach
Earl F. Whittmer '24
Jack B. Woodland '49
Robert A. Younkin '26
Robert Zimpfer '60

Falcon Pros

No less than 41 former Falcon football standouts have been drafted by or played for a team in the National Football League, American Football League, World Football League, Canadian Football League, or the United States Football League. Among the most prominent Falcon alumni who have played starring roles in professional football are Bernie Casey, a wide receiver with the Los Angeles Rams and San Francisco 49ers in the 1960's; Bob Reynolds, an offensive tackle with the St. Louis Cardinals for more than a decade; Jamie Rivers, a linebacker for three pro teams for nine years; Bob Schnelker, an offensive end with the New York Giants in their prime; Phil Villapiano, an all-pro linebacker with the Oakland Raiders and Buffalo Bills; Mike Weger, a stand-out defensive back with the Detroit Lions; and Dave Preston, an all-purpose back with the Denver Broncos.

Current Falcon pros include defensive back Martin Bayless with the Buffalo Bills, wide receiver Jeff Groth with the New Orleans Saints, center Doug Smith with the Los Angeles Rams, defensive tackle Jack Williams with the Ottawa Roughriders, and John Park with the British Columbia Lions (CFL).

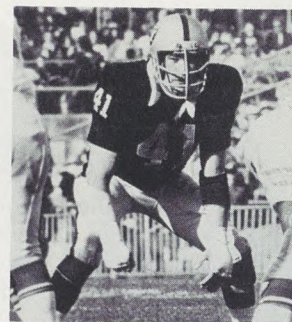
Five members of the BGSU Class of '86 were in NFL training camps this summer. Quarterback Brian McClure was a 12th round draft choice of the Buffalo Bills; defensive tackle Vince Villanucci also signed with Buffalo; flanker Greg Meehan and Sean Dykes were with the San Diego Chargers; and wide receiver Stan Hunter was in camp with the New York Giants. In addition, the Miami Dolphins signed placekicker Gehad Youssef to a contract. Youssef kicked for BGSU from 1981-84. Wide receiver Shawn Potts, who played for several USFL teams following his graduation in 1983, was also in camp with the Buffalo Bills this past summer.

The following is a list of former Falcons and their professional teams.

Dirk Abernathy - Oakland, 1979
Larry Baker - NY Titans (AFL), 1960
Martin Bayless - St. Louis Cardinals, Buffalo Bills, 1984-SA
Tony Bell - Baltimore, 1973
Ed Bettridge - Cleveland, 1964
Bernie Casey - SF, LA, 1961-68
Jay Cunningham - Boston, 1965-67
Dave Cranmer - Calgary (CFL), 1969
Sean Dykes - San Diego, 1986
Joe Green - NY Giants, 1970-71
Jeff Groth - Miami, Houston, New Orleans, 1979-SA
Stan Hunter - NY Giants, 1986
Jerry Jones - New Orleans, 1966-68
Gene Jones - New Orleans, 1976
Jim Ladd - Chicago Cardinals, 1954-56
Don Lisbon - San Francisco, 1963-67
Brian McClure - Buffalo, 1986
Greg Meehan - San Diego, 1986
Paul Miles - Memphis (WFL), 1974
Mark Miller - Cleveland, Green Bay, Kansas City, Oakland (NFL), Michigan (USFL), 1978-83
Tom Moriarty - Atlanta, Pittsburgh, Michigan (USFL), 1977-83
Mike Obrovac - Cincinnati, Green Bay, 1981-85
John Park - British Columbia (CFL), 1981-SA
Rick Perrin - NY Giants, 1969-70
Shawn Potts - Cleveland (NFL), Pittsburgh, Chicago, Houston (USFL), Buffalo, 1983-SA
Dave Preston - NE, Denver, 1977-83, Denver (USFL), 1984
Bob Reynolds - St. Louis, Boston, 1963-75
Roger Reynolds - NY Giants, 1969-70
Jamie Rivers - St. Louis, NY Jets, Houston, 1968-76
Ken Russell - Detroit, 1957-59
Dan Saleet - Cleveland, 1978
Tom Saleet - NY Jets, 1978
Bob Schnelker - Philadelphia, NY Giants, Minnesota, Pittsburgh, 1952-62
Doug Smith - Los Angeles, 1978-SA
Fred Sturt - St. Louis, Washington, New England, New Orleans, 1972-82
Stu Tolle - Cleveland, 1985
Vince Villanucci - Buffalo, 1986
Phil Villapiano - Oakland, Buffalo, 1971-83
Roger Wallace - Jacksonville (WFL)
Mike Weger - Detroit, San Diego, Houston, 1967-78
Jack Williams - St. Louis (NFL), Ottawa (CFL), 1978-SA
Heath Wingate - Washington, 1967
Andre Young - Cincinnati, Calgary (CFL), Green Bay, 1983-SA
Gehad Youssef - New England, Miami, 1984-SA



Martin Bayless



Phil Villapiano



Dave Preston



Mark Miller

1986 Composite Schedule

	Aug. 30	Sept. 6	Sept. 13	Sept. 20	Sept. 27	Oct. 4	Oct. 11	Oct. 18	Oct. 25	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 15
Ohio University		at Bowling Green	Marshall	at Duke	at Central Michigan	Miami	at Ball State	at Eastern Michigan	Toledo	Kent State	at Western Michigan	Northern Illinois
Minnesota			Bowling Green	at Oklahoma	University of Pacific	at Purdue	North-Western	Indiana	at Ohio State	Michigan State	at Wisconsin	at Michigan
Central Michigan			Idaho	Bowling Green	Ohio	at Kent State	Western Michigan	at Tulsa	at Eastern Michigan	at Miami	Toledo	Ball State
Miami		Ball State	at Cincinnati	at LSU	Bowling Green	at Ohio University	Toledo	at Western Michigan	at Northern Illinois	Central Michigan	at Kent State	Eastern Michigan
Western Michigan		at Eastern Michigan	Temple	Long Beach	at Michigan State	at Bowling Green	at Central Michigan	Miami	at Ball State	at Toledo	Ohio University	Kent State
Eastern Michigan		Western Michigan	at Youngstown State	Akron	Kent	at Toledo	at Bowling Green	Ohio University	Central Michigan	Ball State	at Northern Illinois	at Miami
Washington			Ohio State	Brigham Young	at USC	California	at Stanford	Bowling Green	Oregon	at Arizona State	at Oregon State	UCLA
Kent State		Toledo	Akron	at Kentucky	at Eastern Michigan	Central Michigan	at Florida	at Ball State	Bowling Green	at Ohio University	Miami	at Western Michigan
Northern Illinois	Ball State	at West Virginia	at Wisconsin	at Iowa	Western Illinois	at Miami (Florida)		at Toledo	Miami	at Bowling Green	Eastern Michigan	at Ohio University
Ball State	at Northern Illinois	at Miami	at Purdue		Toledo	* Indiana State	Ohio University	Kent State	Western Michigan	at Eastern Michigan	at Bowling Green	at Central Michigan
Toledo	at Florida State	at Kent State	Wichita State		at Ball State	Eastern Michigan	at Miami	Northern Illinois	at Ohio University	Western Michigan	at Central Michigan	Bowling Green

* Hoosier Dome in Indianapolis

NOTE: Nov. 22 — Washington at Washington State
Nov. 22 — Iowa at Minnesota

Pronunciation Guide

Adelsperger ADD-dulls-per-ger
Bongers BONG-ers
Coppess COP-pess
Dackin DACK-in
Estep EE-step
Helgesen HELL-guh-sen
Otten OTT-un
Polivka poe-LIVE-ka

Sandru SAND-drew
Schiets SHEETS
Silvi SILL-vee
Southard SUH-therd
Studrawa STUD-raw-wha
Viscounte VIS-count
Whan WHAAN

BGSU Leads Nation In Producing College Football Coaches

Bowling Green State University in 1986 is the leading producer of NCAA Division I-A head football coaches.

A review of the undergraduate alma maters of the 105 Division I-A head coaches show six Bowling Green graduates as head coaches. Arkansas and Alabama each have five graduates now working as head coaches, while Miami (Ohio) has four.

The six former Falcons with head coaching positions include Larry Smith (Arizona), Jim Young (Army), Moe Ankney (Bowling Green), Jerry Berndt (Rice), Don Nehlen (West Virginia), and Jack Harbaugh (Western Michigan).

The five Arkansas graduates include Ken Hatfield (Arkansas), Jimmy Johnson (Miami, Florida), Barry Switzer (Oklahoma), Pat Jones (Oklahoma State), and Fred Akers (Texas). The five Alabama graduates are Ray Perkins (Alabama), Danny Ford (Clemson), Leon Fuller (Colorado State), Steve Sloan (Duke), and Jackie Sherrill (Texas A & M).

All six of the Bowling Green graduates now coaching played at BGSU between 1955-64 under the tutelage of the legendary Doyt L. Perry. Perry posted a record of 77-11-5 in 10 years as BGSU's head coach. Perry captured five Mid-American Conference championships and led BGSU to the 1959 small college national championship.

The "Falcon's Nest of Coaches" when extended to include former assistant coaches and graduate assistant coaches who earned their masters degree at Bowling Green would include Bo Schembechler (Michigan), Ron Chismar (Wichita State), Gary Tranquil (Navy), and Bill Mallory (Indiana).

Among National Football League assistant coaches, Ron Blackledge (Pittsburgh Steelers), Carl Battershell (Detroit Lions), Bob Schnelker (Minnesota Vikings), and George Hill (Indianapolis Colts) earned either an undergraduate or masters degree at Bowling Green.

BGSU Has MAC's Winningest Record in 1980s

Bowling Green State University has the winningest record in the Mid-American Conference through the first half of the current decade. The Falcons, who have won two of the league's last four championships, sport a conference record of 39-13-1 over the past six seasons. Central Michigan is second at 38-14-2 and Toledo is third at 33-20-1.

Central Michigan holds a slight edge over BGSU in overall record. The Chippewas are 45-18-2 overall while Bowling Green is 43-22-1. Toledo is third at 40-25-1.

BGSU Has Nation's Longest Home Field Winning Streak:

Bowling Green State University has won 13 straight home games played at Doyt L. Perry Field, the nation's longest home field winning streak among major colleges. The streak dates back to October 8, 1983. Over the past four seasons, BGSU has won 19 of 20 games at home.

Falcons One Of Only Two I-A Undefeated:

Green State University and Penn State were the only two NCAA Division I-A programs to post an undefeated regular season record last year. The Falcons have won 14 straight regular season games entering the 1986 season.

What Is Bowling Green, Ohio?: Bowling Green, Ohio is a community of approximately 30,000 people located in northwest Ohio, 23 miles south of Toledo. While the outlying communities surrounding Bowling Green are agriculturally oriented, the city is the home of Bowling Green State University. Bowling Green is easily accessible via Interstate 75 or US 6. Bowling Green is located one hour south of Detroit, two hours west of Cleveland, and three hours north of Cincinnati.

Famous Bowling Green State University Alumni:

Entertainment: Comedian Tim Conway, Actresses Lillian Gish, Eva Marie Saint, Actor/Artist Bernie Casey.

Pro Football: (Active) C Doug Smith-Los Angeles Rams, WR Jeff Groth-New Orleans Saints, DB Martin Bayless-Buffalo Bills, QB Brian McClure-Buffalo Bills, WR Shawn Potts-Buffalo Bills, WR Greg Meehan-San Diego Chargers, DB Sean Dykes-San Diego Chargers, (Retired) RB Dave Preston-Denver Broncos, LB Phil Villapiano-Oakland Raiders & Buffalo Bills, LB Jamie Rivers-St. Louis Cardinals & New York Jets. **Baseball:** P Orel Hershiser-Los Angeles Dodgers; P Roger McDowell-New York Mets; P Doug Bair-Oakland A's.

Basketball: Nate Thurmond-San Francisco Warriors, Chicago Bulls & Cleveland Cavaliers, member of the Basketball Hall of Fame. **Golf:** Mike McCullough, PGA touring pro. **Hockey:** Mike Liut-Hartford Whalers, Gino Cavallini-St. Louis Blues, George McPhee and Brian MacLellan-New York Rangers, Ken Morrow-New York Islanders, Dave Ellett-Winnipeg Jets, Garry Galley-Los Angeles Kings. **Olympians:** Dave Wottle, 1972 800 meter gold medalist; Mark Wells and Ken Morrow, members of the 1980 gold medal hockey team.

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California Bowl VI

The champions of the Mid-American Conference and the Pacific Coast Athletic Association will battle in Fresno State University's 30,000-seat Bulldog Stadium when California Bowl VI kicks off on Saturday, December 13, 1986.

Bowling Green won the MAC title with a 9-0 record last season and played Fresno State in last year's California Bowl.

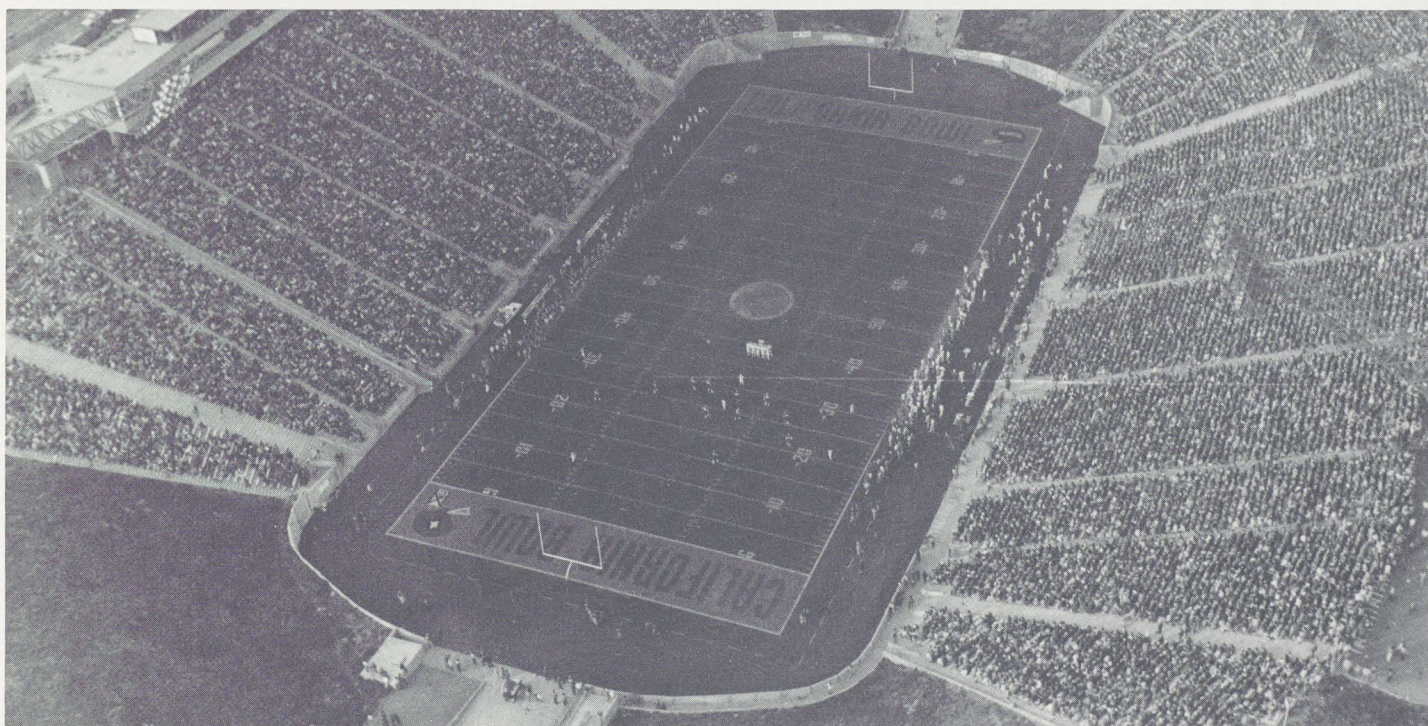
The Cal Bowl has the distinction of being the first offering of major college football's "second season" each year. And it has become one of America's most consistently successful and highly respected bowl games. The California Bowl is truly a community happening with hundreds upon hundreds of San Joaquin Valley citizens rallying around a cause. That cause is a remarkable pediatric medical care facility, Valley Children's Hospital. While every NCAA sanctioned college bowl game must have a stated beneficiary, the California Bowl in the standard bearer in that respect. The benevolence of the Greater San Joaquin Valley Sports Association is proudly displayed. Every aspect of the Cal Bowl revolves around the well-being of the young patients at Valley Children's Hospital. Fund-raising activities including a 10K run, bike rally, coronation ball, and of course, the game itself, directly benefit the hospital. Entering its sixth year, the Cal Bowl has generated nearly \$100,000 for hospital equipment and services.

The concept of the California Bowl was born in the mid-1970's and became a reality in 1981 with the completion of Bulldog Stadium. The Cal Bowl is one of just two closed-end agreements matching the champions of two conferences. The other is the Rose Bowl.

Dr. Glen Driscoll, the president of the University of Toledo from 1972-1984, is the Executive Director of the California Bowl and supervises all aspects of its operation.

In last year's match-up between Bowling Green and Fresno State, the Bulldogs came away with a 51-7 win. Falcon flanker Greg Meehan came away with BGSU's offensive MVP honor for his seven catches for 65 yards.

Bowling Green also appeared in Cal Bowl II on December 19, 1982. The Falcons built a 21-0 lead early in the third quarter but were caught from behind by Fresno State, 29-28. Bowling Green running back Chip Otten rushed for 136 yards in being named Offensive Player of the Game. Defensive back Jac Tomasello earned Defensive Player of the Game honors with an interception that set up a Falcon touchdown.



1986 Falcon Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
September 6	OHIO UNIVERSITY	1:30
September 13	at Minnesota	7:00 CDT
September 20	at Central Michigan	1:00
September 27	at Miami	1:30
October 4	WESTERN MICHIGAN	1:30
October 11	EASTERN MICHIGAN	1:30
October 18	at Washington	1:00 PDT
October 25	at Kent State	1:00
November 1	NORTHERN ILLINOIS	1:30
November 8	BALL STATE	1:30
November 15	at Toledo	4:30



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